

U. S. TO PROTEST LEAGUE'S AWARD

NOTES RECEIVED AT PARIS REVEAL DISSATISFACTION OVER MANDATES TO ALLIES

REDS FILE AN OBJECTION

SOVIET GOVERNMENT DOESN'T WANT LEAGUE TROOPS AT VILNA

Paris, Feb. 22.—The United States, in notes received by the League of Nations council today, asked that no action be taken on the confirmation of mandates until she can submit protests now being prepared. The United States, it is understood, will object to the awarding of the Island of Yap to Japan and of Mesopotamia to Great Britain.

League Army Halted

Paris, Feb. 22.—The League of Nations army is halted today by Foreign Minister Tchitcherine's bolshevik wireless. The army was assigned to go to Vilna and supervise the plebiscite there, to determine whether the city shall be Polish or Lithuanian. A Polish army holds the city, which is the capital of Lithuania. The bolsheviks want to keep the League of Nations from sending any army to supervise the plebiscite on the ground that such action would be virtual intervention in favor of Poland.

May Reprimand Swiss

Paris, Feb. 22.—The League of Nations council prepared today to consider a reprimand for Switzerland for refusing to permit league troops to cross the country en route to Vilna. The council expects to conclude arrangements for the plebiscite which will determine whether Vilna is Lithuanian or Polish, and troops are required there to supervise the election.

MARSHFIELD MAN IS SENT TO JAIL

SIXTY DAY SENTENCE AND \$100 FINE IMPOSED BY JUDGE PARK IN MOOD COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Carl Hirsch of Marshfield was fined \$100 and sentenced to serve 60 days in the Wood county jail on a charge of making and selling moonshine when brought before Judge B. B. Park in circuit court at Wisconsin Rapids on Monday afternoon. Hirsch is the man whom Chris. Guckenberger of Marshfield accused of having made moonshine.

Claire Randall of Marshfield was sentenced to serve two years in the reformatory at Green Bay on a charge of failing to support his three children. Sentence was suspended, however, and he was paroled to Sheriff Mueller of Wood county. Complaint in this case was made by the defendant's wife.

A case involving the question of straightening out Mill Creek near Marshfield for drainage purposes came up before Judge Park at Wisconsin Rapids on Monday afternoon and was continued today.

HOLD SHOW THIS WEEK

ENTRIES BEING RECEIVED BY MEMBERS OF LOCAL POULTRY ASSOCIATION

Final plans are being made for the 1921 show of the Stevens Point Poultry association, which begins on Thursday of this week and concludes next Sunday. The show is to be held in the Langenberg building on Main street and final entries must be made by Thursday evening it is announced.

W. H. Laabs of Waupaca will arrive in the city on Friday to judge the birds. In addition to the local entries, word has been received from a Wisconsin Rapids resident that he is sending a large number of fowls here.

CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

Eleven members of the Westminster club of the Presbyterian church were entertained at the home of Miss Lauretta Schilling, 109 Boyington avenue, Monday evening. The evening was spent making corsage bouquets of cloth flowers to be sold for Easter. A lunch was served.

KILLS BROTHER'S WIFE

MILWAUKEE MAN THEN TURNS GUN ON HIMSELF AND DIES

Milwaukee, Feb. 22.—Paul Blazewich, aged 37, today shot and killed his sister-in-law, Mrs. Steve Blazewich, 38, and then ended his own life in his brother's home here.

A letter left by the slayer said he wished to end his own life, but gave no reason for shooting his sister-in-law. According to Frank Seknicka, brother of the slain woman, she recently said she was afraid to remain in the house with her brother-in-law. The Blazewichs are Croats and had been married seven years. They had no children.

BANCROFT FARMERS PLAN TO ORGANIZE

PRELIMINARY MEETING IS HELD UNDER THE AUSPICES OF AMERICAN SOCIETY OF EQUITY

An enthusiastic meeting of farmers was held at Bancroft Friday afternoon under the auspices of the American Society of Equity, which is conducting an organization campaign in Portage county.

"The farmers recognized the fact that it is more necessary to organize for mutual protection now than it was about four years ago, when they affiliated with the American Cooperative association," said Fred Hertzfeld, district organizer, who, with A. G. Bancroft, deputy state organizer, had charge of the meeting. "It is well that the farmers realize that organization must be met by organization if all people are to be on an equal basis with one another. The sooner the farmers bring their voice forward in such a manner, the sooner radicalism will be killed by lowering the cost of living through more direct exchange of products."

"The farmers at Bancroft were unanimous for joining the American Society of Equity. Everyone leaving the hall expressed himself as a booster for a big crowd at the next meeting, to be held on Saturday, March 5, at which time a permanent Equity organization will be formed."

The Amherst local, recently organized, is forging ahead satisfactorily, according to Mr. Hertzfeld. This local will ship its first car of live stock on February 23, cooperatively. Several farmers at Almond will ship potatoes at once, in advance of the completion of organization work here. A community meeting will be held at the Madel school in Lanark in the evening of February 22, under the auspices of the Madel local, when County Agent W. W. Clark will speak. At Junction City a preliminary meeting will be held on February 23.

ONE VACANT PLACE IN HARDING CABINET

ONLY POST OF SECRETARY OF LABOR UNFILLED—HOOVER LIKELY SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 22.—Only one cabinet position remains open. No choice has been made for secretary of labor. Herbert Hoover, according to the best information, has been decided upon for secretary of commerce. A decision on naval secretary has been reached. It is said, but the appointee's identity had not been disclosed early today and it was uncertain whether it would be known before inauguration day. It is said that neither A. T. Hirt of Kentucky nor John Hays Hammond of California will be appointed.

THREE PER CENT IMMIGRATION WINS

COMPONISE PROPOSED BY SENATE TO CHECK INFUX OF FOREIGNERS ACCEPTED BY HOUSE

Washington, Feb. 22.—The senate emergency immigration bill, limiting immigration for 15 months after April 1 to three per cent of the population from any country now residents in the United States, was accepted today by the house conferees as a substitute for the Johnson bill, prohibiting all immigration for one year.

FIND YOUTHS NOT GUILTY

CHARIVARI CASE AGAINST AMHERST YOUNG MEN DISMISSED FOLLOWING JURY VERDICT

TRIAL TAKES ENTIRE DAY

DEFENDANTS ADMIT MERRYMAKING BUT DENY HAVING CAUSED DAMAGE

A verdict of not guilty was returned in county court before Judge W. F. Owen at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening by the jury which sat in the charivari case in which a group of young men from the town of Amherst and vicinity were defendants. The jury was out 30 minutes before reaching a decision. Immediately after the verdict was returned the defendants were discharged by the court.

One Not Identified

Six young men were originally charged with having assembled in a violent manner in violation of the state law, but the case against Peter Herber, one of the number, was dismissed in the course of the proceedings when witnesses failed to identify him as a member of the party which visited the Glodowski farm where the charivari took place. The five young men against whom the case was then continued are Henry and Eddie Glodowski, John Gliszinski and Joseph and John Bluma.

Tar on Last Night

The original complaint set forth that the offense was committed on February 3 but this was amended on motion of the district attorney and February 2 substituted as the date. The wedding at the Glodowski farm, which preceded the charivari, took place on February 1. According to testimony of Michael Glodowski, the complaining witness, and his wife, during the morning session, tar was spread about the premises on the night of February 3.

Deny Causing Damage

Each of the five defendants took the stand and admitted his presence at the Glodowski farm on February 2. They further admitted their participation in the merry-making but denied having caused any damage or having had any evil intent to do so.

Trial of the case began in the morning, continuing all day. A large audience of interested spectators was in attendance.

TAKE OVER PHARMACY AT ALMOND VILLAGE

MR. AND MRS. LOUIS PROCHNOW OF THIS CITY PURCHASE BUSINESS OF L. S. WALKER

The Portage County Press of Almond announces that a deal was completed Monday whereby Mr. and Mrs. Louis Prochnow of Stevens Point took over the management of the L. S. Walker drug store in that village. The story continues as follows:

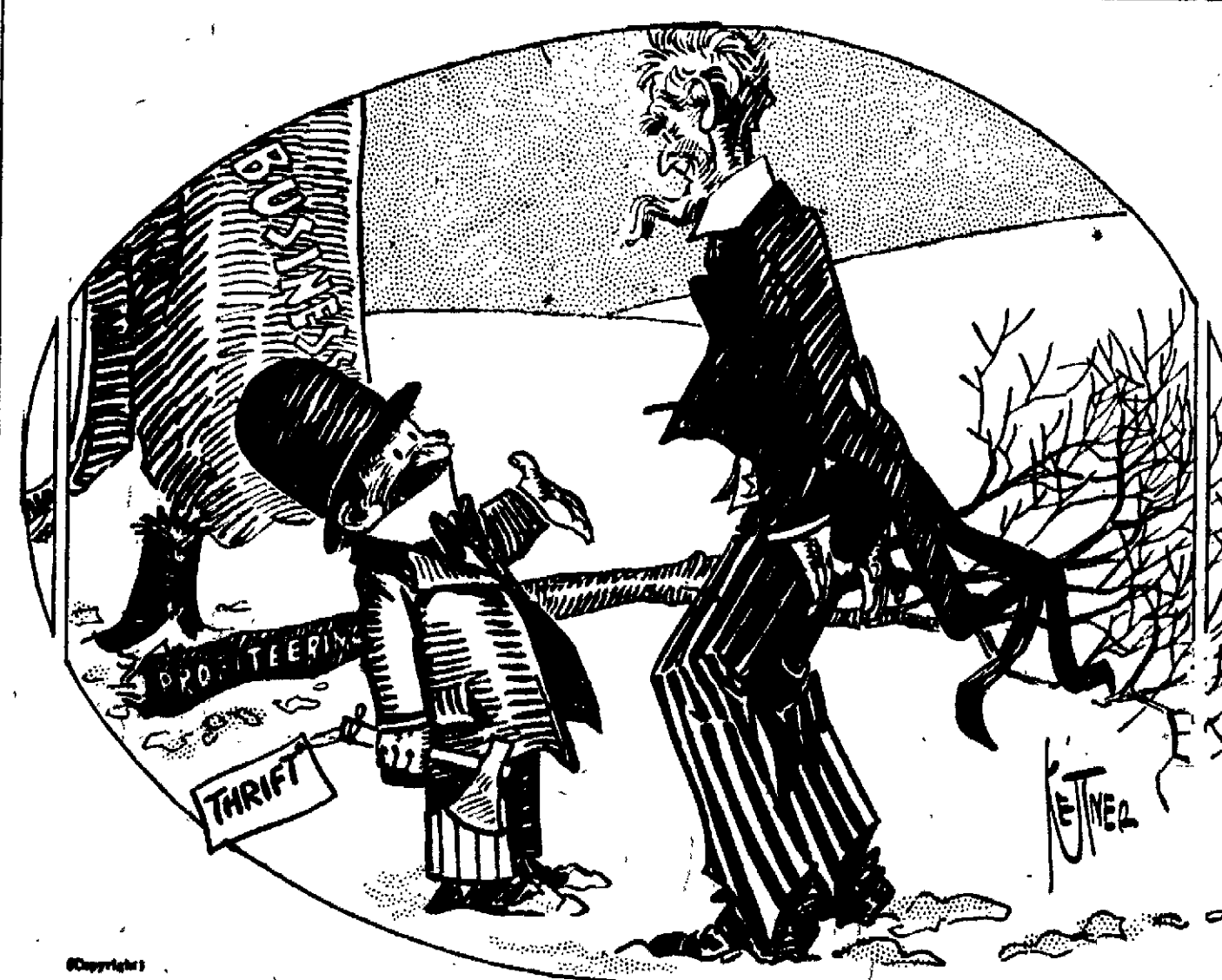
"Mrs. Prochnow is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and a registered pharmacist. Since graduating from the university she has held responsible positions in Milwaukee, Cleveland and Canton, Ohio, and for the past year she has been employed by the Krembs drug store of Stevens Point. Mr. Prochnow has been employed by the O. A. Young Overland Sales room at Stevens Point but will now devote his time to the drug store."

"B. W. Hilgendorf, who has been in charge of the store for several years past, has not decided as yet just what he will do although we understand he has been offered several good positions."

CALLED TO LA CROSSE BY DEATH OF RELATIVE

W. J. Shumway has been called to La Crosse by the death of his brother-in-law, Ed Loomis, who died at his home in that city on Monday morning. The deceased had been an invalid for several years, his affliction resulting from paralysis. In the immediate family are a wife and three daughters, who survive him. Funeral services will be conducted in La Crosse on Wednesday afternoon, burial following in La Crosse cemetery.

"I Did It With My Little Hatchet"



PLAN VALLEY LEAGUE AT WAUSAU MEETING

BASEBALL TO BE REVIVED IN CENTRAL WISCONSIN CITIES WITH SUNDAY AND HOLIDAY GAMES

Plans for a baseball league which will include all the nearby cities in the Wisconsin river valley were discussed at a meeting in Wausau on Sunday. C. W. Eagleburger attended as Stevens Point's representative. The cities represented were Tonawhank, Merrill, Wausau, Schofield, Mosinee, Stevens Point, Wisconsin Rapids and Marshfield.

The meeting was called by R. G. Sayer, secretary of the Schofield Athletic club, who has been active in promoting the organization of a baseball league. It was decided to have each city take action individually, reports to be made on how the plan is received at a second gathering to be held at Wausau on March 2, when each city will have one representative present.

In reviving interest in baseball in this part of the state, those backing the league expect to arrange a schedule of Sunday and holiday games with a low salary limit in force. This will not only make the teams representative but prevent any city from holding an advantage over its opponents through hiring high-priced men.

In Stevens Point it is hoped to secure \$10 each from 50 men in order to finance the local team and insure its participation in league games throughout the season. The donors would receive a season ticket in recognition of their gift. It will probably be necessary to raise the money before the city enters the league if present plans are carried through, which would require a bond guaranteeing that the team would finish the season and abide by the rules. A board of directors and permanent officers are to be elected at the March meeting at Wausau.

Mr. Eagleburger was accompanied to Wausau by Ed. Literaki.

GROWS TOBACCO HERE

O. BOCKMAN HAS FIELD AT THE EAST END OF JEFFERSON STREET

O. Bockman, living at the east end of Jefferson street, raised some good tobacco in the past season. Ernest Viertel pronounced it good and brought in a plant to the First National bank, where it is now on exhibition. While waiting for prospective hotel stockholders to come along, Dr. M. A. Hadcock smoked a pipeful and he gives it his endorsement as a making of fragrant smoke.

W. F. NYOMES DEAD

Greenwich, Conn., Feb. 22.—William F. McCombs, former chairman of the democratic national committee, died today following a six weeks' illness of heart disease.

DIES ON STREET CAR

FORMER RUDOLPH YOUNG MAN MEETS SUDDEN DEATH IN KALAMAZOO

Arthur Reimer, aged 25 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reimer, who reside near Rudolph, died suddenly while riding on a street car in Kalamazoo, Mich. He was a resident of Kalamazoo and was en route home after spending the evening with Miss Helen Lane, to whom he was to be married on March 1. A steep hill which he climbed to catch the street car is believed to have affected his heart action.

The deceased had formerly been employed in the Consolidated paper mill at Bron and he had also worked at had been in the employ of the Kalamazoo Paper company for the past year.

Besides his parents he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: W. C. Reimer of Marshfield, Frank of Rothschild, Mrs. Ray Cooper of Rothschild, Mrs. Albert Benson of Kalamazoo, R. C. Reimer of Chicago, Mrs. Net Hewitt of Waukegan, Fred of Bron, Mrs. Paul Kohlen of Rudolph, George, who resides near Junction City, and Joseph, Ervin, Edward and Dorn of Rudolph, the latter three residing at the family home.

Funeral services were conducted at Rudolph after which the remains were taken to Forest Hill cemetery in Wisconsin Rapids for burial.

TURKS MAY RECOVER LAND GIVEN GREECE

ALLIED SUPREME COUNCIL MAY RETURN PART OF TERRITORY TAKEN FROM SULTAN

London, Feb. 22.—Turkish representatives were called before the allied supreme council today to learn the fate of their lost territory. It is understood that two Turkish delegations, followers of the sultan and Nationalists, would be granted some of their demands for return of territory lost to Greece after the world war. At the same time the Nationalists were to be questioned regarding reported bolshevik operations in Georgia, designed apparently to link Russia and the Turks.

BUYS AVENUE BUILDING

The building on Strong's avenue owned and occupied as an Overland sales and service station by O. A. Young, has been purchased by Elmer Fendergrast. The building will be removed to a location just north of the slough on Union street, and will be fitted up as a paint shop. The Overland service and repair station will be removed to the Auto Sales company building, 452 Clark street, where it will be open to the public March 20. Mr. Young will also have his office in the Clark street building.

MRS. DAUBER CALLED AFTER LONG ILLNESS

WELL KNOWN LOCAL RESIDENT EXPIRES AT HER HOME ON PRAIRIE STREET THIS MORNING

Mrs. Walburga Dauber, a resident of Stevens Point for nearly 40 years, passed away at her home at 421 Prairie street at 8:45 o'clock Tuesday morning. Mrs. Dauber suffered a severe stroke of paralysis three years ago, from which she never recovered. She was a patient for more than two years at St. Michael's hospital but was removed to her home early in July. Her condition steadily declined during the past 10 weeks, complications hastening the end. A daughter, Mrs. Lena Koch and granddaughter, Mrs. J. E. Shaw, cared for her during her long illness.

Walburga Peters was born in the Province of Wurtemberg, Germany, on January 15, 1845, and came to America with her parents at the age of seven years. The family located on a farm at Royalton, Waupaca county, where Mrs. Dauber spent her girlhood. She was twice married, her first marriage being to Asa Pomeroy. Her second husband was Christian Dauber, a widower with two sons, Frank and Robert, now at Oshkosh. Mr. and Mrs. Dauber resided at Weyauwega until 1882 when they removed to Stevens Point. He died in 1886 and she had since made this city her home.

Surviving relatives include three sons, L. A. Pomeroy of Amherst, Charles G. Dauber of Oshkosh and William Dauber of Sunnyview, Cal., and one daughter, Mrs. Lena Koch of Stevens Point. The deceased also leaves one brother, W. L. Peters of Oshkosh and one sister, Mrs. Agnes Chevalier of Appleton.

The late Mrs. Dauber was a devout Catholic and was a member of St. Stephen's congregation of this city. Prior to her illness she took an active part in the church, holding membership in the Ladies Altar society. Announcement of her death will be received with regret by her many friends.

The funeral will be held at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning, Rev. J. C. Hogan officiating and burial following in St. Stephen's cemetery.

CLASSES ARE FORMED

ORGANIZATION MEETING IS HELD AT LOCAL CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Adult classes for both men and women, an adult German class, and a graded system for young people were inaugurated at the Sunday school of the Evangelical Friedens church on Sunday morning.

The adult women's class was organized with a membership of 10 and the men's class with an enrollment of six. The classes will be in charge of Rev. W. A. Werth and Mrs. R. Werth. The German adult class was formed with a membership of two. William Roskranz is the teacher of this class. There are now seven classes in the Sunday school.

FORTY-TWO HUNDRED MORE

ENOUGH TO BUILD ANOTHER TWO ROOMS IS SUBSCRIBED FOR BIG HOTEL

BUILDING SLOWLY, SURELY

CONFIDENT FEELING THAT PROPOSITION IS GOING TO BE PUT OVER

(From Tuesday's Daily)

Forty-two hundred dollars more has been subscribed for the Stevens Point Hotel company within the past 24 hours.

J. W. Dunegan, who has been giving more than half his time to the work the past week, took advantage of the bank holiday to put in the entire day soliciting for stock. Frank M. Glennon and Dr. M. A. Hadcock, the other two members of the team working with Mr. Dunegan in the business district, continued their persistent drive for sales.

Workman's Wife Buys

Outside of the business district things are coming along well. A number of workmen are taking stock. A typical case happened Saturday when a woman came into Stevens Point Hotel company within the past 24 hours.

She is the wife of a workman, and she informed the secretary that she and her husband had talked it over and had decided that they could take that amount of stock.

Salesman Interested

Also on Saturday a traveling salesman in the presence of several persons in the Prals & Boyer furniture store that he would take \$500 worth of stock. Walter E. Dunegan, his name and the conversation to Mr. Dunegan, and the latter called at the Jacobs house to see the man, only to find that he had gone. He will be communicated with by mail. The salesman illustrates a number of similar cases. Many reports are heard that traveling men will take stock, and if necessary, they will be approached.

Told to Stay Away

George B. Allen, one of the workmen in the Fifth ward, who is himself on the road much of the time, said at the noonday meeting of workers that

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NEW LONDON AGAIN VISITED BY THIEVES

BANDITS LOOT STATION AND CHINESE LAUNDRY, MAKING AWAY WITH \$2,000 IN ALL

The Chicago and Northwestern railroad ticket office at New London was entered by a gang of thieves and \$2,000 in cash and checks taken. The robbers forced a window in the station. The same method was employed when they entered a Chinese laundry and made away with \$200. It is believed by New London police that this is the same gang that broke into the G. A. Van Dree merchandise store on February 10 and took merchandise valued at \$5,000.

PLANS POLE REMOVAL

WISCONSIN TELEPHONE COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE MAKES SURVEY HERE

Neal D. Brennan of the engineering department of the Wisconsin Telephone company, with headquarters at Milwaukee, is spending a few days in the city, making a survey of the company's lines for the purpose of working out plans for the removal of the telephone poles from the proposed white way district in the business section. The Wisconsin Telephone company has announced that it will cooperate with local people in the white way project to the extent of removing the poles from the district to be served by the proposed new lighting system. The white way question is still unsettled, so there is nothing definite on when the telephone poles will be removed, although company officials assured the council that they would be taken down in advance of the time when actual construction work on the white way system is started.

STEVENS POINT GAZETTE

MID-WEST NOT STRONG FOR
FIFTH AVENUE FASHIONSBy "MARJORIE"
(Written for The United Press.)

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION

For weekly edition of the Gazette and Journal, in Portage county, outside the city of Stevens Point, \$2 a year; six months, \$1.25; three months, 75 cents. In the city of Stevens Point and outside Portage county, \$2.50 a year; six months, \$1.50; three months, \$1. All subscriptions payable in advance and to be stopped at expiration of term for which subscription is paid.

George Washington

It is 189 years since the great first president of the United States was born; over a century since he died; yet he stands before the people of America in all his solidity and patriotic qualities as clearly as if it were but yesterday that he took part in the councils of his countrymen.

After the close of the Revolutionary war and near the end of his second term as president, wearied by the cares of office and saddened by the criticisms of his methods of handling national and international affairs, Washington exclaimed that he would rather be dead than president. If he could return today, witness the efforts of the American people to settle very much the same sort of problems as confronted his generation, and see the fate of those upon whom the duty of leadership falls, he would probably remark with true Washingtonian dignity, "Mr. Washington, you were right the first time," and gladly return to the tomb.

But the queer thing about it is that, for all he got his wish and is dead, he is still president, not by virtue of office but because, in spite of his human passions and mistakes, by far the greatest part of what he accomplished in that office was good. It is as president that the nation greets him, year after year as the anniversary of his birth comes round, grateful for his integrity and courage, for the wisdom with which he helped to establish the United States as a nation and government, and for the policies he originated or approved which made a solid foundation for the remarkable growth of this country, and for those manly and patriotic virtues to which our young citizens may be directed safely for example and inspiration.

What's the Use?

On the same day that a Stevens Point citizen wrote to the Journal, arguing that postmasters be not appointed because of political pull and suggesting the propriety of promoting an experienced man in the department, it was being announced in Florida that the postmaster general in the new Harding cabinet will be Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee.

The appointment at least indicates, if it does not prove, that the postoffice is going to stay in politics. As a practical politician, Mr. Hays may be relied on to give the plums to those who performed service in the election of a Republican president or a Republican congressman.

A lot of folks no doubt think it inconsistent to appoint a postmaster who will have to be instructed and guided in his duties by his own subordinates. But there is nothing in the outlook to encourage the opinion that they can change the system.

Home Americanization

Discipline in the average American home is not regarded as altogether simple in these days when the old rules that children should be seen and not heard, and should speak only when spoken to, have been apparently obsolete. But discipline is infinitely more difficult in homes where the children are Americans and the parents are foreign-born. In those cases, there is frequently a pathetic isolation for the father and mother, particularly for the mother. The children pick up not only our language, but our slang which is so difficult to translate, and even a contempt for old world ways and traditions.

Unable to understand all the new interests and demands of their children, these parents fall back on their faith in the American schools. "As a teacher says" is the order by which they hope to train the children to obedience. Unfortunately, they do not know what "teacher" says, and are tricked by the clever and rapidly developing youngsters. The survey for Feb. 12 cites the example of a boy who brought home his report card with the prevailing grade of C. This was in a city where the grades ranged from A high to D low. Yet the boy easily convinced his parents that C was very good since it was near the top of the alphabet. X, Y or Z would be bad but not C.

It is not enough to trust that these children will come out all right in the end through their own schooling. They are being the necessary parental dis-

Cleveland—The mid-western woman is championing the cause of conservative fashions.

The shopping district of this city has been offering spring styles for some weeks. Everything, however—dresses, shoes, hats, gloves, coats, wraps and suits—are quite different from the garish, frilly effects as seen in the Fifth avenue shops in New York.

Most window displays are featuring a pale pearl gray and soft blue. This color scheme is used in hats, dresses and blouses. Blue taffeta, barred and checked, with the gray and gray silks, coupled with the blue, are very conspicuous. These crisp little taffetas continue the winter line of low waists, fine and wide ribbon sash.

Afternoon dresses favor gray georgette or crepe de chine. They are cut with the loose, mandarin sleeve, flowing bell cuffed, and are often headed with pearl or lustrous beads down the long front panels. Glycine ribbon sashes with huge bows are used in a contrasting color.

Coats are almost entirely in the east or tan shades. They are made of soft pile fabrics such as peachbloom, duvet de laine, bolivia and are embroidered in a harmonizing floss. The majority of the models have the loose, unbelled back with convertible choker collar.

One of the most radiant coats shown

emphasize the respect for proper authority and the fine things in the home-land customs of their parents. The only way to make the safe and necessary connection between these foreign-born parents and their too-American children is by educating the parents. Ten Night schools, day schools and home instruction are needed, with a regular teaching staff instead of part-time or volunteer teachers. Many cities are already giving special attention to these foreign mothers, offering them day instruction and helping them in many ways to keep up with the Americanization of their boys and girls. More must be done, for their safety and that of the whole nation are closely linked.

The Slowness of the Legislature

We are not worrying, as some are, about the slowness with which the legislature is proceeding to the work of passing laws. Were it putting through legislation hastily, that would be cause for concern.

One hundred thirty-three members of the senate and assembly, two-thirds of them usually in such position for the first time, go down to Madison, each filled with ideas to be worked into law to promote the public welfare. They are keen for the propositions they especially favor. After a few weeks they grow conservative. From January to April is a seasoning period for our statesmen. At the end of the time they are better fitted to legislate wisely than they were at the beginning. They may even progress to the point where they feel it better to let most of the laws alone.

The state must go forward. There must be some new statutes. A half dozen each two years would be a generous allowance to cover all the sound, constructive reforms.

No Time to Stop Road-building

Assemblyman Wallace Ingalls of Racine is back of a measure in the legislature to stop the building of roads. Mr. Ingalls thinks the state is putting too much money into roads. We don't think many will agree with him. Almost everyone who drives a car feels that there should be more and better highways. Some counties have kept up their road-building. Perhaps Racine county has been especially liberal.

We are not willing in Portage county to stop the road-building. Up here folks are coming to the belief that there ought to be some mileage of good highways built every year. This year we hope to get at least the Plover concrete road. When there is money, it ought to be the time to do as much road construction as possible. Why stop anywhere until men are hard to get?

Chinese Massage.

Medical gymnastics were reduced to a scientific system by Taoist monks. The main point of the Chinese system of massage is the three principal attitudes—standing, sitting and lying, and three modes of breathing, through the mouth, nose and inspiration and expiration alternately through both organs. Iron balls are rolled swiftly to and fro in the hands to strengthen the muscles. To pass to the stomach, a wooden instrument consisting of three movable wheels is used.

London Dog Market.

The well-known "dog market" in the East end of London is situated in the vicinity of Club row, where hundreds of owners can be seen every Sunday morning with dogs of all shapes, sizes and breeds, which they offer for sale.

upon Euclid avenue was of midnight blue peachbloom cut in a cossack. It buttoned with huge metallic buttons from hem to narrow shoulder. The unbelled back fell in supple folds and the entire effect was of the foreign military.

Hats also approve of gray and blue combinations. Chapeaux of crepe de chine or silk fabric combined with glazed straws are being worn considerably here. In fact, the midwest lady donned her spring "bid" with fully as much time to spare as had the Gotham woman of fashion.

Little ribbon dingle-dangle and trayed silk streamers that hang over the hat brim and whisk the ear lobes are the favored form of hat trimming. There seems to be a dearth of feather trimming. Stiff flowers made of patent leather, kid or metal imitations are fast in favor.

The midwest woman is gradually reaching the stage where she does not gasp at a semi-revealed knee. During the winter months, skirts were of quite a demure length, but they are going up as the new season comes in.

Golashes sprint under new spring suits fully as floppingly as they did in the winter months. A count taken of the feminine feet upon Euclid avenue found only one woman in eleven who was not wearing the favored golash.

SOCIETY AND
WOMEN'S NEWS

The Woman's Club

One hundred and twenty members of the Woman's club and their guests observed Library Day at the library club rooms, Feb. 19th. Mrs. F. J. Hord gave an interesting report of Stevens Point's first public libraries, the first one having been in a part of the McCulloch store years ago and later moved to the room over Taylor's drug store on Strong's avenue.

The present location was purchased by the Woman's club in July 1902 from the Eaton-Gudman estates, the cost totaling about \$4,400.

There are at present 9,000 volumes in the library, 50 newspapers and periodicals and 100 rent books. With the city's population over 12,000, it is considered 7,305 borrowers is too low an average and the public is urged to take better advantage of the good reading materials at their disposal.

The following excellent program was carried out, after which ice cream and cake were served by the social committee.

It Treasures, High School Girls' Glee club.

Piano Solo, Arabesque, McDowell and the Fauns, Chaminade by Kathleen Clifford.

Readings, Lallahaposa and The Family Drum Corp by Viola Hoffman.

"My Little Gray Home in the West" and "Mighty Lak A Rose" by High school senior girls quartet.

Piano duet, "Lustful Overture" by Kathleen Clifford and Edna Gear.

Piano Solo, "To A Star" by Mae Vetter.

Twenty-five dollars and six books were presented the library board by the club at Saturday's meeting.

Celebrates 90th Birthday

Sixty relatives and friends of L. E. Gordon of Nelsonville gathered at his home Sunday afternoon in honor of his 90th birthday anniversary. Before the celebration at the Gordon home, the service flag in the Norwegian Lutheran church was lowered with an impressive ceremony. The speakers for the occasion were Rev. Mr. Sneydy of Iowa and L. A. Gordon, assistant secretary of state. A dinner was served to the guests and the afternoon and evening spent informally.

Community Meeting

W. W. Clark, county agricultural agent, was the principal speaker at a community meeting held at the school building of District No. 2 town of Plover, last Friday evening. Mr. Clark's subject was "Cooperation for Community Improvement." The proposed change in the system of potato and peas was discussed at the meeting and plans were made for the organization of a community club. A lunch was served by the women who were in attendance.

League Holds Meeting

An interesting meeting of the Child Conservation League was held at the library club rooms on Monday evening. The following program was carried out:

Report from the Millstone on the North of Humanity, Mrs. A. E. Bryan.

Report, "Physical Courage, Resources, Health and Self-Confidence, Valuable Attributes in the Child's Character," Mrs. Wm. Robinson.

Paper, "What are True Moral Courage and the Courage That Paries to Loss," Mrs. J. Goldstein.

Discussion followed the reading of each paper.

The League went on record in favor of raising the city physician's salary and decided to be represented at the next county meeting by one of its members.

To Purchase Equipment

It was decided to purchase a two-plate electric stove and swing and a "giant stride" for the playground at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of the Jefferson school, held at the school building Monday afternoon. A program of musical numbers and recitations was given by the pupils and a lunch consisting of sandwiches, cake and coffee was served to 100 members of the organization. The association also went on record as opposing the reduction of the salary of the city health officer.

Block-Party

Miss Fannie Block, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Block, 701 Normal avenue, was married to Albert Arbin of Milwaukee, at the home of the bride's parents at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rabbi Adelson of Oaklawn officiating. The bride was dressed in a gown of white silk and wore a white veil. She carried a shower bouquet of carnations and roses. Following the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served to the parents of the couple and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dell of Milwaukee and Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldberg of this city. The groom has been employed as a truck driver in Milwaukee and the couple will go to that city to reside in the spring.

Bestul-Peterson

Miss Adeline Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson, who reside east of Nelsonville, became the bride of Casper Bestul of Scandinavia last Saturday. The groom is taking a course in agriculture at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, for which city the young people left following a wedding dinner. The marriage was a surprise to friends of the couple.

Miss Buck Appointed

Sara E. Buck, supervisor of music in the public schools of Grand Forks, North Dakota, has been appointed to the advisory committee for North Dakota in the national conference of music supervisors to be held at St. Joseph, Missouri, April 4 to 8. Two others serve on this committee.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schuller, 627 Wisconsin avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Itegin Schuller, to Joseph Chojnacki, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chojnacki of the town of Plover.

SHEET METAL WORK
TO BE TAUGHT HERENEW COURSE WILL BE ADDED
AT VOCATIONAL SCHOOL—
ENROLLMENT FIGURES
SHOW INCREASE

Sheet metal equipment has been ordered for the Stevens Point Vocational school and a course in sheet metal work is to be offered for boys who are enrolled. Mechanical drawing of metal objects is now being taught and the expansion of the course will afford practical training. This was reported on Monday evening at the February meeting of the Vocational board.

Enrollment figures presented by Director G. H. Ehart showed a substantial increase both in the total enrollment and actual attendance on January 21, 1921, compared with January 21, 1920. A high percentage was also attained during the past month in make-up work and actual attendance.

Considerable correspondence regarding the installation of a fire escape to comply with the state law was read by Sept. H. C. Snyder, secretary of the board. An escape has been built at the rear of the building on order of the Industrial commission but will have to be enclosed on the outside in order to fully comply with requirements. This additional work was ordered done.

A brief report on a recent Vocational directors' conference at Minneapolis was made by Mr. Ehart, who was in attendance. Mr. Ehart also reported on the heavy enrollment in the home nursing class at the McKinley school, explaining that a class is to be organized at the Vocational building this evening in order to accommodate all of the women who wish to attend. The matter of engaging teachers for the next school year was left over until the March meeting of the board.

By No Means a Dude.

The speaker was energetically orating in behalf of a candidate for congress. "What we want," spoke up a man in the audience, "is a man from the rank and file as our representative; a man from the common people, not one of these dudes that don't know anything but how to wear a long-tailed coat." "And that is just exactly what my candidate is," the speaker came back; "one of the common people. And by the stretch of the imagination could you call him a 'dude.' Why, his idea of dressing up is to button his vest."

Redwoods in Italy.

California redwoods are commonly found planted in every section of Italy, and they seem to develop speedily under the conditions of the Italian climate, says the American Forestry Magazine. In Bologna recently a redwood tree over four feet in diameter was cut, which had been planted only about 60 years ago. Sections of this tree are now exhibited in the Museum of the Royal Forestry college at Florence.

RUINS OF FLANDERS
PRESENTS BIG TASK
FOR BELGIAN PEOPLERICH AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT,
LAID WASTE BY THE WAR,
TO BE RECLAIMED
BY THRIFTY
NATION

By R. H. SHEFFIELD.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
Brussels, Belgium, Feb. 22—Centuries of spade and pioneer labor, performed by millions of tillers of the soil throughout the ages, had made of Flanders in 1914 one of the richest agricultural provinces in the world. In four years of war the result of all those centuries of labor was annihilated. The wiping-out of such an extensive region, with all its vast agricultural resources, was unprecedented in history.

The centers of the war zone here were Ypres, Furnes, D'xnuide, Oostend and Courtrai. The districts of Ypres and Furnes, the richest agricultural lands, contained 215,000 acres of land, 68 villages, three towns and an agricultural population of over ninety thousand. Of the land, 160,000 acres were arable and 55,000 pasture. The number of farms was 24,000, of horses 6,070, of horned cattle 47,000, and of pigs 42,000. Annual crops gathered comprised an average of 437,000 sacks of wheat, barley and oats; a million kilos (say a thousand tons) of tobacco; 125,000 tons of potatoes, and a considerable quantity of hops.

Of all this wealth, nothing remained at the armistice. Farmhouses were either destroyed or in ruins; villages were razed; the cattle had been slaughtered; the farmers and their hands had fled; barren, inundated ground was all that remained. Pre-war values of this destroyed property may be estimated at \$51,000,000. That does not sound much if you say it quick enough, but for anemic Belgium, it means a lot! To put things right today, however, is going to cost several times \$51,000,000. Wages and raw materials have, on the whole, more than trebled, and estimates that put the restoration of agricultural alone, without any reconstruction of villages, etc., at close to \$200,000,000 show the extent of the work of reconstruction to which Belgium has set her hand, and in which she has achieved such satisfactory results in the past twelvemonth.

Enough said. Frequently a question contains its own answer. Such a question was the one put recently by a Kansas young woman who had failed to qualify for a position, as teacher. Feeling that she had not been considerably dealt with, she wrote: "I think I am entitled to an explanation of why I failed, anyway."—Boston Transcript.

Unfair Discrimination. Nicholas watched his papa give his two older brothers money for church and money for the collection at church. He wanted to go to church also, but his papa told him he would have to stay at home. He immediately said: "Why don't you make them kids stay home? They are the ones who always want the nickels."

Ancient Signs Asked Votes.

The use of chalked instead of printed notices for advertisement and political propaganda has ancient precedent, as the "graffiti" of Pompeii attest. There we find in red letters painted on the walls that "the barbers wish to have Trebians as aedile" or that "the fruit sellers wish one centus Priscus for the duumvirate."

And That Is Not Much. Jud Tunkins says there have been some specimens of propaganda that you couldn't attach any more importance to than you could to a valentine.

WANTED

COOK

Must be Competent
Good Wages

WEBER HOTEL
Nekoosa, Wis.

Seeding Time

Will Soon Be Here

Have you planned your seed requirements for this season? Come in and talk over your needs and examine our stocks.

Order now and be sure you get the best. "As ye sow, so shall ye reap."

The Skalski Company

Stevens Point, Wis.

Horses Coming

I will have a carload of

Horses and Mares

In Stevens Point the First
of March. Every animal guaranteed to be sound.

MAX WIRTH



Let Us Give
You Figures

on your lumber for that new house and show you the quality of millwork we include in all bills we figure—millwork which in itself adds beauty and value without increasing the cost one penny.

MODERN IDEAS AND PLANS

are our hobby, for we know from experience the selling value they carry with them should you ever have occasion to dispose of your home. By following good advice you can always realize quickly even on a home investment. Let us explain in detail and show you plans.

Vetter Manufacturing Company

Stevens Point, Wisconsin

SECTION TWO

emergency petition. Cost of bridge \$1798.83. Recommend the town of Grant be allowed one-half of the said cost, \$899.41. Petition No. 3. Towns of Grant and Pine Grove for building joint bridge emergency petition. Cost of bridge \$1658.40. Recommend to allow town of Grant on petition \$414.60. Town of Pine Grove on petition \$414.60.

Petition No. 4. Towns of Grant and Pine Grove for joint bridge at cost of \$400. Petition for \$300 to town of Grant, \$300 to town of Pine Grove be allowed.

Petition No. 5. Town of Pine Grove for bridge at a cost of \$1200. Recommend that the county allow \$800 on said petition.

Petition No. 6. Town of Pine Grove for bridge at a cost of \$1000. Recommend that the county allow \$500 on said petition.

Petition No. 7. Town of Dewey for two bridges at a cost of \$1600. Recommend that the county allow \$1600.

Petition No. 8. Town of Amherst for bridge at a cost of \$1250. Recommend that the county allow \$625.

Petition No. 9. Town of Eau Claire for bridge at a cost of \$1000. Recommend that the county allow \$500.

Total asked of county \$4723.87. Moved by Supervisor Betker the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read list of outlaid county orders for cancellation. Moved by Supervisor Parks the orders be referred to the committee on settlement with county officers for cancellation. Motion carried.

Clerk read several claims which were referred to the committee on claims. Moved by Supervisor Parks that the chairman appoint a committee of three of which he shall be one member to settle with outgoing county officers and approve of county officers elect bonds. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resignation. To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: Being duly elected a member of the county state road and bridge committee, I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the committee on county buildings and grounds.

Respectfully submitted this 26th day of November 1920. D. H. PARKS, Supervisor of Plover.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer the resignation be accepted. Motion carried.

The chair appointed Supervisor Pascavis to fill the vacancy. Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the resolution to appropriate \$400 to the Humane society of Portage county be granted under the consideration that they make a financial report of the expenditures of the same to the county board. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Parks the board visit the jail after this session of the board. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Parks the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman. Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisor Halladay excused.

Clerk read the following resolution: Be It Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin, that two hundred dollars be transferred from the general fund to the District Attorney's fund. Albert Timm, Supervisor Grant.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolution: Be It Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin, That the salary of the Clerk for the County Clerk and the County Highway Commission be fixed at one hundred dollars per month commencing January 1, 1921.

C. J. GILBERT, Supervisor of Rosholt. Moved by Supervisor Betker the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolution: Be It Resolved, by the Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin in annual meeting assembled that it is the sense and judgment of this board that Chapter 527, of the Laws of 1911 providing for the licensing of dogs and the payment of damages for depredations committed thereby, should be repealed, that the same is not an aid to agricultural development but is a source of expenses to the several counties.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin as a petition for the repeal of said law as now embodied in Sections 1623 to 1630 inclusive in the Statutes.

Dated this 26th day of November, 1920. GEO. WOLFE, Sr.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the resolution be adopted by aye and nay vote. Motion carried, all voting aye.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on settlement with county officers.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wis. Gentlemen:—We, your committee on settlement with county officers to whom was referred the outlaid county orders would respectfully report as follows that we have cancelled the stubs and destroyed the orders.

Dated this 26th day of November 1920. C. J. Gilbert, Chas. Hammon, John Pascavis, Ben Halverson.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin: Gentlemen:—In compliance with Chapter 34, Section 488, Statutes of Wisconsin the following County orders uncalled for by the payee are presented for cancellation.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

Order No. 16362 John Walezak, Dec. 6, 1917 \$1.08

16391 Anna Woloszek, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16416 Thos. Winkler, Dec. 6, 1917 .148

16400 John Wojcik, Dec. 6, 1917 .124

16392 Elizabeth Woloszek, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16389 Vincent Woloski, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16456 John B. Worden Dec. 6, 1917 .600

16402 Jacob M. Wojcik, Dec. 6, 1917 .216

16278 Annie Vickor Dec. 6, 1917 .140

16279 Frank Vickor, Dec. 6, 1917 .140

16344 Mrs. Ed. Temezak, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16363 Joseph Temezak, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16262 Nick Trezinski, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16386 Albert Simon, Dec. 6, 1917 .174

16287 Mrs. Albert Simon, Dec. 6, 1917 .174

16407 Katherine Skalski, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16438 John Albrantz, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16263 Helen Nerlock, Dec. 6, 1917 .172

16291 Mary Mack, Dec. 6, 1917 .400

16384 Ellen Marks, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16290 Rufus Mack, Dec. 6, 1917 .200

16422 Wallas Landeski, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16403 John Lewinski, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16393 Albert Liss, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16421 Albert Landewski, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16385 Ella Kryzenaki, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16273 Wm. Koltinski, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16305 John Kabot, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16307 John Kabot, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16300 Anton Kiralring, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16408 Wm. Nam, Dec. 6, 1917 .532

16311 Geo. Gust, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16327 Frank Gaskv, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16270 A. Dakins, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16444 Ben Diver, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16393 Anastacia Disher, Dec. 6, 1917 .130

16380 A. J. Bereson, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16277 Ben Bartkowiak, Dec. 6, 1917 .108

16002 Victoria Rosewarth, Dec. 8, 1915 .108

11900 Anton Pirks, Dec. 8, 1915 .108

11428 Alex Pirks, Dec. 8, 1915 .104

7602 Annie Winkler, Dec. 10, 1914 .108

14664 Anton Pirks, Dec. 8, 1915 .108

14178 Irvine Tricker, Dec. 8, 1916 .108

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the committee on claims as follows: To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County:

Gentlemen: We, your committee to whom was referred the schedule of general claims against Portage county, Wisconsin, from No. 1 to 41 inclusive, together with claims against the county for damages done by dogs, from No. 1 to No. 6 inclusive, also for claims for enumerating dogs, from 1 to 33 inclusive, respectfully report as follows:

1. G. L. Park, Justice Pass \$334.19 \$334.19

2. G. L. Park, service, chairman	60.00	60.00
3. W. F. Owen, county judge, for stamps	15.52	15.52
3. W. F. Owen, county judge, fees in criminal cases	354.44	354.44
3. W. F. Owen, fees in juvenile court	355.12	355.12
3. W. F. Owen, fees in insane cases	215.80	215.80
4. F. A. Neuberger, stenographer, fees at inquest	21.00	21.00
5. John G. Marchel, Committee, work on board of education	39.00	39.00
6. Lyman Precourt, committee, work on board of education	22.20	22.20
7. Amherst Advocate, Adv. sale of poor farm	9.00	9.00
8. Ed Larson, realtor of deeds, recording birth certificates, tax deeds, etc.	568.32	568.32
9. Callaghan & Co., Wis. Digest, 3 Vol. for county judge	46.80	46.80
10. F. H. Timm, postage and clerk fees	50.00	50.00
11. H. H. Hoffman, soldiers relief committee	19.68	19.68
12. S. Whitaker, soldiers relief committee	17.76	17.76
13. G. H. Altenberger, soldiers relief committee	12.00	12.00
14. R. W. Morse, stenographer fees at inquest	23.50	23.50
15. F. J. Pratt, service on state aid road at Bangor	14.88	14.88
16. F. A. Southwick, autopsy on body of dead baby	25.00	25.00
17. Good Shepherd Industrial school	120.00	120.00
18. Pearl Shanklin for service of Bert Shanklin on poor farm committee	45.40	45.40
19. H. D. Boston, coronor fees	29.60	29.60
20. S. C. Swenson, services as juror at inquest in 1918	3.60	3.60
21. G. K. Mansur, Bldg. and grounds committee	24.00	24.00
22. Mike O'Keefe, service on Agri. committee	20.80	20.80
23. Carl Betker, meeting county road and bridge committee on Rosholt road	14.52	14.52
24. Gross & Jacobs, supplies	40.08	40.08
25. E. E. Jangle Ads.	2.40	2.40
26. Joe Laszewski, Bldg. and grounds committee	24.00	24.00
27. Frantz J. Krembs, Acct.	12.00	12.00
28. Albert Timm, committee work	30.00	30.00
29. C. F. Martin, committee work	12.80	12.80
30. Wm. Loftis, poor farm committee	72.54	72.54
31. Finch Bros., supplies	60.45	60.45
32. C. F. Martin, committee work	9.92	9.92
33. I. E. Hull, supplies	12.75	12.75
34. G. D. Aldrich, building committee	75.00	75.00
35. Vetter Mfg. Co., supplies	30.46	30.46
36. Albert Timm, committee work, Pine Grove	11.36	11.36
37. Paul Lukasavitz, committee county farm	79.52	79.52
38. Kuhl Bros., supplies for insane	22.56	22.56
39. Wozzalla Pub. Co., Adv. county farm	7.56	7.56
40. C. von Neupert, Sr., jail physician	24.00	24.00
41. T. E. Cauley, telephone and expenses	18.32	18.32
42. Ben Halverson, service, highway committee	385.52	385.52
43. George Wolfe, service, highway committee	214.36	214.36
44. D. H. Parks, service, highway committee	263.81	263.81
45. J. B. Sullivan, plumbing	5.56	5.56
46. F. A. Neuberger, stenographer fees in Buss case	15.00	15.00
47. Joe Laszewski, services on committees	8.96	8.96

Claim No.	Enumerating Dogs	Amt. Asked	Amt. All'd.
1. C. W. Morgan		\$23.30	\$23.30
2. James Weisbrod		42.30	42.30
3. L. P. Moen		42.30	42.30
4. J. J. Kunkel		60.00	60.00
5. Geo. L. Gundersen		32.80	32.80
6. Oscar Culver		2.20	2.20
7. John Nowak		27.00	27.00
8. O. L. Gordon		1.20	1.20
9. O. Lekiem		1.40	1.40
10. Newell Grover		1.20	1.20
11. Albert Peters, not sworn to		70.00	70.00
12. J. T. Waller		20.00	20.00
13. Wm. Arlans		4.20	4.20
14. G. W. Pratt		14.80	14.80
15. Frank Makuski		29.80	29.80
16. A. W. Wanta		40.20	40.20
17. Frank Tadrwald		30.60	30.60
18. M. F. Pierce		2.20	2.20
19. John Porter		30.40	30.40
20. Fred Giese		27.00	27.00
21. Nick Ingara		24.00	24.00
22. Geo. W. Smith		4.60	4.60
23. Teofil Czech		57.40	57.40
24. John D. Yetter		25.60	25.60
25. Jake Cychosz, Jr.		21.00	21.00
26. James McTigue		31.20	31.20
27. Wis. department of agriculture, tags		37.50	37.50
28. H. C. Miller Co., dog blanks and books		157.63	157.63

The following claims were presented for damage done by dogs:

1. Elma Searl, claim disallowed not a proper claim	\$15.00	
2. W. H. Krake, disallowed	20.00	
3. John C. Brothard	25.00	25.00
4. Vincent Ybicki, disallowed	5.00	
5. Bernard Kruger, disallowed	30.00	
6. T. J. and C. N. Newby, disallowed	40.00	

Witnesses in County Court, Juvenile Court and Insane Cases

	Amt. Asked	Amt. All'd.
H. J. Week, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	\$1.08	\$1.08
Charles Clark, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
E. L. Cater, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Jan. 22, 1920. State vs. Eugene Pike		
E. A. Soule, witness, 50 miles, 1 day	3.00	3.00
Ward Staples, witness, 50 miles, 1 day	3.00	3.00
W. L. Barager, witness, no fees allowed.		

Feb. 14, 1920. State vs. George Marascan.

Dr. F. A. Southwick, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Agnes Knich, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08

Feb. 12, 1920. State vs. Ervin Meyers and Eugene Sprafkin.

John S. Hofsoos, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
G. W. Coppel, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Chester Cook, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Ira Myers, no witness fees allowed.		
A. N. Sprafkin, no witness fees allowed.		

March 19, 1920. State vs. Joe Gaseley (1st case).

Ralph Olson, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
G. H. Steuber, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
C. A. Krohn, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08

March 19, 1920. State vs. Joe Gaseley (2nd case).

C. Christianson, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
C. A. Krohn, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
G. H. Steuber, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08

April 8, 1920. State vs. Frank Ostrowski.

Henry Anderson, witness, 32 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
Alfred Anderson, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
Clara Anderson, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
Mrs. M. Anderson, witness, 32 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
Nels Nelson, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
August Ostrowski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
H. E. Berg, witness, 32 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28

March 22, 1920. State vs. Frank Daskis.

John Zdrok, witness, 20 miles, 1 day	1.80	1.80
Joseph Bloack, witness, 20 miles, 1 day	1.80	1.80
Selvena Zdrok, witness, 20 miles, 1 day	1.80	1.80

March 19, 1920. State vs. Theodore Hinz.

Frances Dombrowski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Anna Przekurat, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08

April 9, 1920. State vs. James Smith.

Edna Smith, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
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March 29, 1920. State vs. Geo. Cartmill.

August Pulchinski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
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In Juvenile Court

State vs. Lawrence Chapman		
Elma Chapman, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.50	1.50
Glenn H. Chapman, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.50	1.50

May 27, 1920. State vs. John Doe.

Mrs. Andrew Kulk, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Mrs. W. B. Pett, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
G. Sykes, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Mrs. G. Sykes, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Ana's Baum, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Lydia Beadie, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Virginia Beadie, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Mrs. W. E. Beadie, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08

July 22, 1920. State vs. Clarence Mathis.

W. E. Atwell, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
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Nettle Tunks, witness, 50 miles, 1 day	3.00	paid
R. L. Ryan, witness, 50 miles, 1 day	3.00	paid
Bertha Joecha, witness, 50 miles, 1 day	3.00	3.00
Oct. 15. State vs. John Lisa, et al.		
Walter Kowalski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
John S. Hofmann, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Joe Czech, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Oct. 6. State vs. John Dronoske.		
Mike Ryan, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
E. A. Moberg, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Ed Johnson, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Ed Johnson, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Torger Knutsen, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Emmet Conney, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Jan. 16, 1920. State vs. Charles and Emil Bogans.		
Rose Bogans, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
G. J. Ehart, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Jan. 20, 1920. State vs. Mike and Anton Pliska.		
Lillian Arnot, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Stella Wachowiak, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Jan. 23, 1920. State vs. Harry Biesek.		
Clara Biesek, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Lillian Arnot, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Feb. 7, 1920. State vs. Mike Pulchinski.		
Merrill Guyant, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
G. J. Ehart, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Feb. 10, 1920. State vs. Margaret and Albert Barker.		
Albert Crona, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Mrs. Wailie Dixon, witness, 3 miles, 1 day	1.68	1.68
R. K. McDonald, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Chas. Barker, witness, 2 miles, 1 day, no fees allowed.		
Mary Brooks, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Mar. 12, 1920. State vs. Tony Herman, Delinquent.		
John Cash, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Ludwig Fordanski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Mary Fordanski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
State vs. Children.		
Dr. F. A. Southwick, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
R. K. McDonald, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Lillian Arnot, witness, 3 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Hilma Nelson, witness, 2 miles 1 day	1.58	1.58
State vs. Peter Grabowski, Victor Nowak and Anton Steinke.		
Delinquent Children.		
Merrill Guyant, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Gerhard Prell, witness, 3 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
May 17, 1920. State vs. Ben Winecki, Delinquent Child.		
Mrs. Adam Fisher, (Marie), witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Nellie Koska, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
May 14, 1920. State vs. Robert Carran, Delinquent.		
Mary Fisher, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Nellie Koska, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
May 19, 1920. State vs. Leonard Kosowski, et al, Eleven Others.		
* Defendants, Delinquent Children.		
Chas. S. Boyington, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PORTAGE COUNTY, WIS.

1920

FIRST DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 9, 1920, 10 o'clock a. m.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.
At the roll call of members by the Clerk it was found that a number of the members were absent and upon motion of Supervisor Halverson, which was carried, the meeting was adjourned until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 9, 1920, 1:30 o'clock p. m.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.
Clerk called the roll and the following members answered present: Albion, Carl Becker; Almond, C. F. Martin; Almond Village, Bryan True; Amherst, Louis Skoglund; Amherst Village, Richard Wilson; Amherst Jet, Village, George Starks; Belmont, D. W. Sawyer; Buena Vista, Mike Loftis; Carson, Jos. Wozzalla; Dewey, Jos. Cychosz; Eau Claire, Geo. Wolfe, Sr.; Grant, Albert Timm; Hull, Jos. Laszewski; Junction City Village, George Stertz; Lanark, Chas. Hamman; Lincoln, John Pascaviz; New Hope, Ben Halverson; Nelsonville Village, Geo. Diver; Pine Grove, J. B. McNeil; Plover, Dennis Parks; Plover Village, F. E. Halliday; Rosholt Village, C. J. Gilbert; Sharon, Jos. Burant; Stockton, P. A. Lukasavitz; Stevens Point City, First and G. L. Park; Second Ward, G. K. Mansur; Third Ward, V. P. Atwell; Fourth Ward, Paul Lukasavitz; Fifth Ward, M. J. Mersch; Sixth Ward, G. D. Aldrich.

The Chairman announced that the first order of business was the election of a chairman.
Moved by Supervisor Becker that G. L. Park be re-elected Chairman for the ensuing year.
Motion was put by the Clerk and carried unanimously.
Mr. Park thanked the Board in the unanimous election of himself as Chairman for the fifth consecutive term and said the confidence imposed upon him was an honor which he appreciated. He asked the members to help him make the session harmonious and transact the business of the Board in a businesslike way.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that Geo. Wolfe, Sr., be elected Vice Chairman. Motion carried.
Moved by Supervisor Wilson that Miss Ruth McCallum be elected assistant clerk for this session of the Board. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the rules governing the 1919 Board govern the proceedings of the Board for 1920. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolution.
To the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:
BE IT RESOLVED, That Dr. C. Von Neupert, Sr., be elected Jail Physician for the ensuing year.

ALBERT TIMM, Supervisor of Grant.
Moved by Supervisor Wilson that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the Board adjourn until 9 o'clock A. M. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

SECOND DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 10, 1920, 9 o'clock A. M.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.
Clerk called the roll. All members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.
Clerk read the resolution of State Superintendent Cary in regard to the amount of school money to be raised, which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Clerk read the report of F. H. Timm, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Portage County, which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read the report of Andrew P. Een, Assessor of Incomes, which was referred to the Committee on Equalization.

The Chairman announced the standing committees of the Board of Supervisors, annual session 1920, as follows:

Equalization: V. P. Atwell, G. K. Mansur, Paul Lukasavitz, Geo. Wolfe, Sr., Carl Becker, Albert Timm, Joseph Laszewski, Bryan True, Mike Loftis, Louis Skoglund.

Claims—F. A. Lukasavitz, Chas. F. Martin, Geo. Stertz, Sr., J. B. McNeil, Joseph Burant, Geo. S. Diver, F. E. Halliday, Jos. Cychosz, D. W. Sawyer.

Illegal Assessments—D. H. Parks, Ben Halverson, Geo. Starks, C. J. Gilbert, John Pascaviz, Richard Wilson, Chas. Hamman, G. D. Aldrich, Bryan True.

County Printing—Richard Wilson, M. J. Mersch, F. A. Lukasavitz, Chas. Hamman, Jos. Burant, John Pascaviz.

Town Organization—Geo. S. Diver, F. E. Halliday, Chas. F. Martin, Carl Becker, Louis Skoglund, Jos. Burant.

Sheriff and Constables Fees—George Starks, D. H. Parks, G. D. Aldrich, Joseph Wozzalla, M. J. Mersch.

Settlement with County Officers—C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Chas. Hamman, Ben Halverson, John Pascaviz.

Settlement with County Board of Education—Chas. F. Martin, D. W. Sawyer, F. E. Halliday, Mike Loftis, Joseph Wozzalla, Joseph Cychosz.

Roads and Bridges—Joseph Laszewski, Geo. Stertz, Sr., J. B. McNeil, Geo. Wolfe, Sr., Albert Timm.

County Buildings and Grounds—G. D. Aldrich, G. K. Mansur, D. H. Parks.

Judiciary—V. P. Atwell, Mike Loftis, Paul Lukasavitz, Geo. Wolfe, Sr.

State Aid Roads and Bridges—Ben Halverson, D. W. Sawyer, Joseph Wozzalla, Bryan True, F. A. Lukasavitz, J. B. McNeil.

Ways and Means—M. J. Mersch, Joseph Cychosz, Carl Becker, Paul Lukasavitz, Albert Timm, Louis Skoglund.

Per Diem—Geo. Stertz, Sr., Geo. Starks, V. P. Atwell, Geo. S. Diver, Jos. Laszewski.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the Board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 10, 1920, 1:30 o'clock p. m.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisor Pascaviz.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.
Clerk read several resolutions from the Wisconsin Highway Commission, which were referred to the State Aid Road and Bridge Committee.

Clerk read schedule of claims, general file bills from 1 to 21 inclusive, which was referred to the committee on claims.

Clerk read the report of the special committee appointed to procure bids for sale of part of the County Farm.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the report be laid on the table for further action. Motion carried.

Mr. Ira Danks addressed the Board on the Children's Home Society of Wisconsin.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the Clerk be instructed to notify the banks of Portage County, also the printers, that bids will be received not later than Nov. 18, 1920, for county depository for county money, also county printing.

Moved by Supervisor True that the sum of \$500 be appropriated to the Children's Home Society of Wisconsin and under the rules it was laid over until tomorrow.

Moved by Supervisor F. Lukasavitz that the Board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., November 11, 1920, 1:30 o'clock p. m.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors True and Halliday excused.

Clerk read the following report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

be adopted as a settlement with such officer for the year ending Oct. 30th, 1920.

Dated Nov. 11th, 1920. C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Chas. Hamman, Ben Halverson, John Pascaviz.

Report of the Clerk of the Circuit Court
To the Honorable County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my annual report for the fiscal year ending October 30, 1920, to-wit:
Issued Orders and Court Certificates.....\$1,038.05
Issued Jurors' Certificates.....3,083.50
Issued Witness' Certificates.....29.80

Total amount certificates drawn.....\$4,091.27
State Tax Paid County Treasurer on Civil Actions—

January 2, 1920, for quarter ending Dec. 31, 1919.....\$ 33.06
April 1, 1920, for quarter ending March 31, 1920.....25.00
July 1, 1920, for quarter ending June 30, 1920.....40.00
October 1, 1920, for quarter ending Sept. 30, 1920.....37.00

Total Amount State Tax Paid.....\$ 135.06
Fines and Costs Paid County Treasurer—

Dec. 3, 1919—State of Wisconsin vs. Nicholas Sakas, larceny. Costs \$32.00.

Dec. 5, 1919—State of Wisconsin vs. John Landowski, assault and battery. Fine \$50.00. Costs \$39.93. Total \$89.93.

Dec. 29, 1919—State of Wisconsin vs. Lawrence McGowan, larceny. Costs \$22.51.

Jan. 28, 1920—State of Wisconsin vs. Harold West, Practicing dentistry without a license. Fine \$50.00. Costs \$3.00. Total \$53.00.

April 16, 1920—State of Wisconsin vs. Harry Abrams, larceny. Costs \$23.55.

May 3, 1920—State of Wisconsin vs. Frank Ostrowski, Petit Larceny. Fine \$20.00. Costs \$35.50. Total \$55.50.

Oct. 18, 1920—State of Wisconsin vs. Leo Konopacki, Resisting Officers. Fine \$50.00. Costs \$34.03. Total \$84.03.

Total Fines and Costs Paid, \$345.91.

Jan. 6, 1920—W. B. Buckingham et al vs. John Poblocki et al. (It being money paid into Court as surplus on execution sale by John A. Berry, Sheriff, on Dec. 17, 1910.)

And paid to the County Treasurer pursuant to Section 748-m of the Wisconsin Statutes for the year 1917.

Dated at Stevens Point, Wisconsin, this 1st day of November, 1920.

F. H. TIMM,
Clerk Circuit Court, Portage County, Wisconsin.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the County Farm Committee.

(Report withdrawn from minutes next day.)
Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following application from Dell King for position of janitor for the Court House for the ensuing year.

To the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin,
Gentlemen: I herewith make application for the position as janitor for the Court House for the ensuing year at a salary of \$100 per month for the five winter months and the balance of the year at \$75 per month. Signed, DELL KING.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that Dell King be employed as janitor for the Court House for the ensuing year at a salary of \$100 per month for the five winter months and \$75 for seven months. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wilson the Board adjourn until 9 o'clock A. M. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

FOURTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 12, 1920, 9 o'clock a. m.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Cychosz, Laszewski, Hamman and Pascaviz excused.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.
Clerk read a resolution passed by the Jefferson County Board in regard to the damage done to the roads by trucks used for transportation of freight and asked this county board to take similar action to get the matter before the legislature.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the Chairman appoint a committee of three to draft a similar resolution. Motion carried.

The Chairman appointed as such committee Supervisors Parks, Atwell and Halverson.

Clerk read a communication from the Wisconsin Highway Commission in regard to the cities, towns and villages of the state keeping the streets and highways open for travel during the winter months.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the communication be referred to the State Road and Bridge Committee. Motion carried.

The resolution to appropriate \$500 for the Children's Home Society of Wisconsin was taken up at this time.

Moved by Supervisor Wilson that the resolution be amended and the sum of \$300 be appropriated to the Children's Home Society of Wisconsin. Motion to amend was lost by 15 yeas and 11 nays.

The following voted yeas: Supervisors Skoglund, Wilson, Starks, Sawyer, Loftis, Wozzalla, Stertz, Halliday, Burant, Atwell and Aldrich. Nays: Supervisors Becker, Martin, True, Wolfe, Timm, Halverson, Diver, McNeil, Parks, Gilbert, F. Lukasavitz, Park, Mansur, P. Lukasavitz, Mersch.

The original motion to appropriate \$500 to Children's Home Society of Wisconsin was then carried by 18 yeas and 8 nays.

The following voted yeas: Supervisors Becker, Martin, True, Skoglund, Wilson, Starks, Halverson, Diver, McNeil, Parks, Halliday, Gilbert, Burant, F. Lukasavitz, Park, Mansur, Mersch and Aldrich. Nays: Supervisors Sawyer, Loftis, Wozzalla, Wolfe, Timm, Stertz, Atwell and P. Lukasavitz.

Moved by Supervisor Starks the Board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 12, 1920, 1:30 o'clock p. m.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the following report from the Ways and Means Committee.

Report of Ways and Means Committee.
To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your committee to whom was referred the statement of the state superintendent of schools of the amount to be raised as a county school tax, would report and ask for the adoption of the following amounts to be placed in the tax roll for school purposes:

Albion.....\$700.90
Almond.....1,107.00
Amherst.....1,222.95
Belmont.....1,065.00
Buena Vista.....1,696.25
Carson.....2,708.65
Dewey.....1,444.85
Eau Claire.....1,236.85
Grant.....1,100.20
Hull.....2,215.20
Lanark.....1,082.75
Linwood.....849.95
New Hope.....1,178.00
Pine Grove.....823.00

Total.....\$43,088.15
Dated Nov. 12, 1920. M. J. Mersch, Paul Lukasavitz, Albert Timm, Carl Becker, Louis Skoglund, Jos. Cychosz, Ways and Means Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski, the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the annual report of the Portage County Traveling Library Board, which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read the following report of the Committee appointed at the 1919 session to settle with outgoing county officers.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your Special Committee appointed at the 1919 annual meeting of the County Board to settle with outgoing county officers, would respectfully report as follows: We met at the Court House on February 9, 1920, and settled with Hon. John A. Murat, County Judge, as follows:

He presented a bill for \$109.55 for services for November and December, 1919, which we carefully examined and recommended the allowance of the same at \$109.55. Also that the following claims for physicians, witnesses, etc., be allowed to the several persons.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
Dated at Stevens Point, Wis., this 9th day of February, A. D. 1920. G. L. Park, Edward Frost, V. P. Atwell, Committee.
F. P. Laszewski, Interpreters, Wisconsin, etc.

Dr. A. E. McMillan—

Dr. F. A. Morris—

Case of Mary J. Empey, 1 day, 2 miles.....\$ 4.20
Dr. F. E. Webster—

Case of Carrie Williamson, alleged insane, 1 day, 4 miles \$ 4.40

Dr. G. E. Dusenberry—

Case of Carrie Williamson, 1 day, 4 miles.....\$ 4.40
Dr. E. H. Rogers—

Case of Lester W. McCready, dependent child, 1 day, 2 miles \$ 4.20

Witnesses, Jurors and Criminal Cases:

State vs. Theodore Malik—

Begging Malik, 1 day, 2 miles.....\$ 1.09
State vs. John Drown—

James Welch, juror, 1 day, 2 miles.....\$ 1.12
A. E. Larsen, juror, 1 day, 2 miles.....1.12

A. Jackway, juror, 1 day, 2 miles.....1.12
G. C. Jensen, juror, 1 day, 2 miles.....1.12

John Schmitt, juror, 1 day, 2 miles.....1.12
John Nowicki, witness, 1 day, 12 miles.....1.48

Teofil Matkowski, witness, 1 day, 12 miles.....1.48
Anton Mokki, witness, 1 day, 12 miles.....1.48

Relix Kolowski, witness, 1 day, 10 miles.....1.19
John Haka, interpreter, 1 day, 2 miles.....1.08

State vs. Kate Chilla—

John Stelke, witness, 2 days, 4 miles.....\$ 2.16
Tena Stelke, witness, 2 days, 4 miles.....2.16

Theodore Larsen, witness, 2 days, 4 miles.....2.16
Frank Pakiewicz, witness, 2 days, 4 miles.....2.16

Witnesses, etc., Juvenile Court:

In re Stanislaus Rogasewski, delinquent—

John Haka, interpreter, 1 day, 2 miles.....\$ 2.54
In re Roman Dudkiewicz and 6 other delinquents—

Merrill Guyant, witness, 1 day, 2 miles.....\$ 1.54
Chas. Boyington, witness, 1 day, 2 miles.....1.54

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read a statement on the burial of indigent soldiers, which was referred to the committee on settlement with county officers.

Supervisor Halverson submitted a claim of Nick Krysceki for \$200 for injury received on Oct. 16, 1920, while employed as patrolman on the road and moved that the same be allowed at \$200 in full settlement of hospital, physician and compensation bills. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the Board reconsider the report of the County Farm committee which was adopted at yesterday's session and the same be referred to a committee for investigation as to whether the county farm is a paying proposition or not. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the chairman appoint a committee of two to act with himself to make an investigation and report on the condition of the County Farm. Motion carried.

The chair announced that he would appoint such committee at the Monday afternoon session.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the bid of the Wisconsin Central Land Company or Soo Line offering \$25,500.00 for part of the County Farm be rejected. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell the Chair appoint a committee of five of which the Chairman will act as chairman to investigate the advisability of selling all or part of the County Farm and at what price, whether or not it would be advisable to rebuild the building on the old site or on some other site, and report their findings to this Board. Motion carried.

The Chair announced that he would appoint such committee early next week.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the Board adjourn until 9 o'clock A. M. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

FIFTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 13, 1920, 9 o'clock A. M.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all the members present except Supervisors Becker, Martin, True, Skoglund, Wilson, Sawyer, Cychosz, Laszewski, Stertz, Hamman, Pascaviz, McNeil, Parks, Halliday, Gilbert Park, excused.

As there was not a majority of the members present it was moved by Supervisor Starks that the Board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock Monday. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

SIXTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 15, 1920, 1:30 o'clock P. M.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Wolfe and Hamman, excused.

Minutes of Friday's and Saturday's sessions read and approved.

Clerk read a resolution asking for an appropriation to be set aside for the "Mothers' Pension Fund," which was laid over until tomorrow.

Clerk read the annual report of A. E. Bourn, County Clerk, which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read schedule of Sheriff's and Constables' bills from 1 to 1 inclusive, which was referred to the Committee on Sheriff's and Constables' Fees.

Clerk read schedule of sheriff's bills of which 75 per cent had been paid from 1 to 36 inclusive, which was referred to the Committee on Sheriff's and Constables' Fees.

Clerk read schedule of claims under the dog law from 1 to 25 inclusive, which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

The Chairman announced at this time that he had appointed Supervisors Wolfe, Gilbert and Loftis as a committee to investigate the condition of the County Farm and report to the Board.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski the Board adjourn until 9 o'clock A. M. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

SEVENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 16, 1920, 9 o'clock A. M.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.
Clerk read the following opinion from the District Attorney:

To the Honorable, The County Board of Portage County:

At request of some of the members, I have been asked to give my opinion concerning the per diem which should be allowed to the Board at its session and as to the number of days to be allowed at \$5.00.

In consulting the statutes, I find that the legal per diem is \$4.00, but that the Board may raise the per diem to \$5.00 for a limited number of days. The statute limits the days to not more than twenty in this county. The statute also provides for the per diem to be allowed members for work on committees, and limits that to thirty days' work on committees. See section 59.03-2-4 and 59.06.

After a careful reading of these statutes, together with the resolution of the County Board, passed at the time the per diem was increased to \$5.00, it is my opinion that the Board is allowed \$5.00 per day for not to exceed fifteen days, while in actual session and that the per diem for work on committees and for more than fifteen days in session, remain at the old \$4.00 per day. Respectfully submitted.

J. R. PIFFER, District Attorney.

Clerk read the annual report of Earl Newby, County Treasurer, which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

The Chairman announced at this time that he appointed Supervisors Atwell, Wilson, Timm and Becker as a committee to investigate as to the advisability of selling the County Fair and the proposition of rebuilding.

Moved by Supervisor F. Lukasavitz that the Board adjourn until 1:30 p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 16, 1920, 1:30 o'clock P. M.
Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, Chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Portage County, in annual meeting assembled, that there be, and there is hereby appropriated and set aside the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to be raised as other taxes are raised, to be used to pay for the services and expenses of such parole officer or officers as may from time to time be appointed by the Judge of the Juvenile Court. Such monies so raised shall be set aside and known as "The Parole Officer Account," and shall be paid out by the County Treasurer to the persons entitled thereto upon the order of the Judge of the Juvenile Court.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1920.

V. P. ATWELL, Supervisor.

Under the rules the resolution was laid over until tomorrow afternoon.

Clerk read the following report:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin

SPECIAL FEDERAL ROAD FUND FOR BUENA VISTA		
NO. 10		
By Amount overdrawn Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 1,336.89	\$ 1,336.89
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	1,336.89	1,336.89
	\$ 1,336.89	\$ 1,336.89
GRANT ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 84.81	\$
To Cash from Town Treasurer.....	500.00	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	500.00	
Paid Orders.....	46.25	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st, 1920.....	1,038.56	
	\$ 1,084.81	\$ 1,084.81
AMHERST VILLAGE ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 800.00	\$
Paid Orders.....	400.00	
Transferred to Emergency Fund by Res. of Co. Board.....	400.00	
	\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00
HULL ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1920.....	\$ 1,359.89	\$
Paid Orders.....	7,122.61	
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	5,762.72	
	\$ 7,122.61	\$ 7,122.61
JORDAN BRIDGE FUND		
To Cash from Treasurer of Hull.....	\$ 1,947.11	\$
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	2,920.66	
Paid Orders.....	5,412.18	
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	544.41	
	\$ 5,412.18	\$ 5,412.18
JUNCTION CITY ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 1,600.00	\$
Paid Orders.....	1,352.58	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	247.42	
	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00
LANARK ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 2,403.98	\$
To Cash from Town Treasurer.....	805.96	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	805.96	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	4,015.90	
	\$ 4,015.90	\$ 4,015.90
LINWOOD ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 4,017.61	\$
To Cash from Town Treasurer.....	1,000.00	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	1,000.00	
Paid Orders.....	3,987.61	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	2,080.00	
	\$ 4,017.61	\$ 4,017.61
NEW HOPE ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 2,859.02	\$
To Cash from Town Treasurer.....	806.29	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	806.29	
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	2,183.57	
	\$ 6,655.17	\$ 6,655.17
PINE GROVE ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 3,609.75	\$
To Cash from Town Treasurer.....	564.96	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	564.96	
Paid Orders.....	1,249.12	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	3,490.55	
	\$ 4,739.67	\$ 4,739.67
ROSHOLT ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 36.92	\$
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	36.92	
	\$ 36.92	\$ 36.92
STOCKTON ROAD FUND		
By Amount overdrawn Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$	\$.90
To Amount Transferred from Plover Federal Road No. 18.....	2,877.50	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	2,877.50	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	5,754.10	
	\$ 5,755.00	\$ 5,755.00
SHARON ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 104.03	\$
Paid Orders.....	783.02	
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	687.99	
	\$ 783.02	\$ 783.02
CARSON ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 1,529.87	\$
Paid Orders.....	1,114.10	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	415.77	
	\$ 1,529.87	\$ 1,529.87
CARSON FEDERAL ROAD NO. 18		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 5,626.68	\$
To Cash from T. E. Cauley, Rebate on Gravel.....	14.00	
Paid Orders.....	5,272.58	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	368.10	
	\$ 5,640.68	\$ 5,640.68
CARSON ST. POINT AND JCT. CITY FEDERAL PROJECT		
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To Cash from Treasurer of Carson.....	\$ 2,000.00	\$
To Cash from Treasurer of Stevens Point	1,000.00	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	10,000.00	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	13,000.00	
	\$ 13,000.00	\$ 13,000.00
ALMOND VILLAGE ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 804.50	\$
To Cash from Village Treasurer.....	600.00	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	600.00	
Paid Orders.....	820.15	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	1,184.35	
	\$ 2,004.50	\$ 2,004.50
DEWEY BRIDGE FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 84.30	\$
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	84.30	
	\$ 84.30	\$ 84.30
EAU PLEINE ROAD FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 2,374.25	\$
Paid Orders.....	1,914.27	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	459.98	
	\$ 2,374.25	\$ 2,374.25
FEDERAL ROAD FUND DEWEY NO. 10		
By Amount Due from State Treasurer Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$	\$ 5,296.25
To Cash from State Treasurer.....	21,163.42	
To Cash from Emergency Fund.....	4.10	
Paid Orders.....	16,749.54	
To Amount due from State Treasurer Oct. 31st 1920.....	978.27	
	\$ 22,145.79	\$ 22,145.79
PLOVER FEDERAL ROAD FUND NO. 68		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 3,527.10	\$
To Amount Transferred from Plover Federal Road No. 18.....	2,000.00	
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	2,000.00	
Paid Orders.....	16,544.71	
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	9,017.61	
	\$ 16,544.71	\$ 16,544.71
PLOVER FEDERAL ROAD NO. 18		
To Amount Transferred from General Fund by Res. of County Board.....	\$ 5,000.00	\$
Transferred to Plover Federal Road No. 68	2,000.00	
Transferred to Stockton Road Fund	2,877.50	
Paid Orders to Plover Village.....	122.50	
	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00

FEDERAL EMERGENCY FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 3,983.58	\$
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	5,000.00	
To Amount Transferred to County Emergency Fund.....	3,000.00	
Paid Orders.....	412.00	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	5,571.58	
	\$ 8,983.58	\$ 8,983.58
FEDERAL MAINTENANCE FUND		
By Amount due from State Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$	\$ 3,445.91
To Cash from State Treasurer.....	14,346.29	
To Cash from Carson Road Fund.....	55.80	
To Cash from Hull Road Fund.....	6.44	
Paid Orders.....	24,577.59	
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	13,614.97	
	\$ 28,023.50	\$ 28,023.50
MAINTENANCE FUND		
To Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 9,197.19	\$
To Cash from State Treasurer Account Motor Vehicle fees.....	8,526.94	
To Cash from Federal Maintenance Fund.....	1,085.50	
To Cash from Dewey Federal Road No. 10.....	174.45	
To Cash from Hull Road Fund.....	338.00	
To Cash from Carson Road Fund.....	180.00	
To Cash from Eau Pleine Road Fund.....	45.00	
To Cash from Linwood Road Fund.....	25.00	
To Cash from Amherst Jct. Village Road Fund.....	30.00	
Paid Orders.....	10,902.42	
To Balance in Fund Oct. 31st 1920.....	8,899.66	
	\$ 19,602.08	\$ 19,602.08
EMERGENCY FUND		
By Amount overdrawn Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$	\$ 7,876.80
To Amount Transferred from General Fund.....	2,000.00	
To Amount Transferred from Federal Emergency Fund.....	3,000.00	
To Amount Transferred from Amherst Village Road Fund.....	400.00	
To Cash from T. E. Cauley, Highway Comm. (Acct.) barn sold.....	65.00	
To Cash from Hardware Mutual Casualty Co. (Acct.) Dividend on Automobile Policy, \$390126.....	4.13	
Paid Orders.....	3,063.49	
By Amount overdrawn Oct. 31st 1920.....	5,471.16	
	\$ 10,940.29	\$ 10,940.29
Total Balance in all funds Nov. 1st 1919.....	\$ 67,352.87	\$
Total Receipts of all funds to Nov. 1st 1920.....	428,218.64	
Total disbursements for fiscal year ending Oct. 31st 1920.....	430,844.59	
Total Balance of all funds Nov. 1st 1920.....	64,706.92	
	\$495,571.51	\$495,571.51
The balance on hand is credited to the different funds as follows:		
Overdrawn		
General Fund.....	\$ 44,316.10	\$
Dog Tax Fund.....	7,119.69	
Soldiers Relief Fund.....	820.00	
Fine Fund.....	366.00	
Suit Tax Fund.....	126.00	
County Supt. of Schools Fund.....	1,331.50	
Legacy Tax Fund.....	72.30	
Delinquent Tax Fund.....	719.77	
District Attorney Fund.....	123.74	
City School Library Fund.....	647.63	
Township Library Fund.....	1,094.37	
Poor Farm Fund.....	1,765.25	
Teachers County Institute Fund.....	105.24	
County Agricultural Agents Fund.....	212.64	
Portage County Drainage District Fund.....	.50	
Dancy Drainage District Fund.....	465.69	
Almond Road Fund.....	847.20	
Amherst Road Fund.....	1,600.86	
Amherst Jct. Village Road Fund.....		27
Belmont Road Fund.....	348.74	
Buena Vista Road Fund.....	382.15	
Special Federal Road Fund for Buena Vista No. 10.....	1,336.89	
Grant Road Fund.....	1,038.56	
Hull Road Fund.....	5,762.72	
Jordan Bridge Fund.....	544.41	
Junction City Road Fund.....	247.42	
Linark Road Fund.....	4,015.90	
Linwood Road Fund.....	2,080.00	
New Hope Road Fund.....	2,183.57	
Pine Grove Road Fund.....	3,490.55	
Rosholt Road Fund.....	36.92	
Stockton Road Fund.....	5,754.10	
Sharon Road Fund.....	678.99	
Carson Road Fund.....	415.77	
Carson Federal Road Fund No. 18.....	368.10	
Carson, Stevens Pt. and Jct. City Federal Project No. 18.....	13,000.00	
Almond Village Road Fund.....	1,184.35	
Dewey Bridge Fund.....	84.30	
Eau Pleine Road Fund.....	459.98	
Federal Road Fund Dewey No. 10.....	978.27	
Plover Federal Road Fund, No. 68.....	9,017.61	
Federal Emergency Fund.....	5,571.58	
Federal Maintenance Fund.....	13,614.97	
Maintenance Fund.....	8,699.66	
Emergency Fund.....	5,471.16	
	\$104,801.67	\$ 40,094.75
Overdrawn.....	\$ 40,094.75	
Cash on hand and in Bank.....	\$ 64,706.92	
State of Wisconsin, County of Portage—As I, Earl Newby, County Treasurer of said County, do solemnly swear that the annexed reports are true as to each and all items as shown on the books of said office.		
EARL NEWBY, County Treasurer.		
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1920.		
Clerk of Circuit Court.		
Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the report be adopted, the bonds cancelled, coupons punched and orders destroyed. Motion carried.		
The chairman of the committee on settlement with county officers reported that the \$10,000 cancelled bonds and \$1,350 coupons were punched and the orders destroyed in the presence of the committee.		
Clerk read the report of the committee on settlement with county officers to whom the Portage County Traveling Library Board's report was referred and the same was laid over. Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that a committee be appointed to find out what amount the Stevens Point Library will want to adopt the new system referred to in the Portage Traveling Library Report. Motion carried.		
The chair appointed as such committee, Supervisors Sawyer, Skotland and Parks.		
W. W. Clark, County Agricultural Agent read his report to the County Board.		
Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the report be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.		
Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the board vote on whether or not they visit the County Farm this afternoon.		
Moved in amendment by Supervisor Atwell that only those who are not sufficiently informed about the farm visit the farm. Motion to amend carried. Original motion as amended was then carried.		
Moved by Supervisor Pascaviz the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion lost.		
Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.		
Stevens Point, November 18, 1920, 1:30 o'clock P. M. Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman. Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Timm and Burant excused.		
The resolution on the "Mothers Pension Fund" which had been laid over was taken up at this time.		
Professor Detail of the Stevens Point Normal school addressed the board in regard to the Mothers Pension.		
Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the resolution for an appropriation for the Mothers Pension be laid over until Tuesday afternoon. Motion carried.		
The resolution for an appropriation to be used as a "Parole Officer Account" which had been laid over was taken up at this time.		

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the resolution be laid over until Tuesday afternoon. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on sheriff's and constables fees.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:—We your committee on sheriff's and constables fees respectfully report as follows:

Schedule of Sheriff's Bills of which 75% has been paid:

	Total	Paid 75%	Balance Due
1. W. I. Barager	\$ 29.68	\$ 22.26	\$ 7.42
2. W. I. Barager	50.25	37.50	12.75
3. W. I. Barager	22.50	16.89	5.61
4. W. I. Barager	41.64	31.23	10.41
5. W. I. Barager	35.04	26.28	8.76
6. W. I. Barager	44.44	33.33	11.11
7. W. I. Barager	37.57	28.07	9.50
8. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.25	8.09
9. W. I. Barager	63.50	47.62	15.88
10. W. I. Barager	52.00	39.00	13.00
11. W. I. Barager	41.25	30.94	10.31
12. W. I. Barager	29.68	22.26	7.42
13. W. I. Barager	29.68	21.57	8.11
14. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.24	8.10
15. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.24	8.10
16. W. I. Barager	18.00	13.50	4.50
17. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.24	8.10
18. W. I. Barager	13.25	9.95	3.30
19. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.26	8.08
20. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.26	8.08
21. W. I. Barager	50.24	37.68	12.56
22. W. I. Barager	7.75	5.80	1.95
23. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.26	8.08
24. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.26	8.08
25. W. I. Barager	24.50	18.38	6.12
26. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.26	8.08
27. W. I. Barager	40.30	30.23	10.07
28. W. I. Barager	30.18	22.63	7.55
29. W. I. Barager	38.25	28.68	9.57
30. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.25	8.09
31. W. I. Barager	41.05	30.79	10.26
32. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.26	8.08
33. W. I. Barager	33.50	26.13	7.37
34. W. I. Barager	32.34	24.26	8.08
35. W. I. Barager	46.75	35.05	11.70
36. W. I. Barager	36.74	27.55	9.19
	\$1,245.82	\$934.36	\$311.46

Schedule of Sheriff's and Constables claims:

1. John Hofsoos	\$ 10.65
2. W. I. Barager	34.34
3. W. I. Barager	1,386.00
4. W. I. Barager	97.00
5. Eric Raymo	150.00
	\$1,478.08

Amount asked

Amount allowed

Bill No. 2 cut on account of overcharge 90c.

Bill No. 3 cut on account of overcharge \$2.60.

Signed Geo. Starks, D. H. Parks, M. J. Mersch, Jos. Worzalla, G. D. Aldrich, committee.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the report be adopted/ Motion carried.

Clerk read an opinion from the District Attorney in regard to members serving on committee when they were no longer members of the board and the same was placed on file.

Clerk read the annual report of Lancelot A. Gordon, county superintendent of schools, which was referred to the committee on settlement with County Board of Education.

Mr. J. W. Dunegan addressed the board in regard to the appropriation to be made for the county agricultural agent.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the matter of the appropriation for the County Agricultural Agent be brought up at next Tuesday afternoon's session. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

ELEVENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., November 20, 1920, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Martin, True, Sawyer, Wolfe, Stertz, Hammon, Parks, Timm and Burant excused.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

The ballots which had been previously distributed to the board in regard to the disposition of the county farm were collected at this time and read to the county board and later transferred to the special committee.

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the board adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m. Monday. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

TWELFTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., November 22, 1920, 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors, Betker, Martin, True, Sawyer, Loftis, Cyclosh, Wolfe, Stertz, Hammon, Pascaviz, Gilbert and Lukasavitz excused.

Clerk read schedule of claims of the county superintendent of schools which was referred to the committee on settlement with county board of education.

Clerk read schedule of claims under the dog law from 29 to 33 inclusive which was referred to the committee on claims.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., November 22 1920, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present.

Clerk read the following petition which was referred to the committee on state aid roads and bridges:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County:

Gentlemen: I, Carl Betker, chairman of the Town of Alban, Portage county, Wis., respectfully petition your honorable body as follows, to-wit:

Whereas, it was necessary that the bridge on the Rosholt-Peru state road, called the Ike Anderson bridge be replanked, for the reasons that the same was in a very bad condition and almost impassable and it was necessary that the same be replanked, and

Whereas the cost for such replanking, including labor and material amounted to a total amount of \$54.82.

Therefore, I would respectfully petition your honorable body that \$25.46, which amount is one-half of the cost of the said above specified work, be paid back into the treasury of the said town of Alban as provided for by the statutes of Wisconsin.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1920.

CARL BETKER.

Chairman of the Town of Alban, Portage County, Wisconsin.

Clerk read the following petition from the town of Pine Grove which was referred to the committee on state aid roads and bridges.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: Owing to the necessity of replacing a bridge in the town of Pine Grove, Portage County, Wisconsin, we the undersigned the town board of the town of Pine Grove, hereby petition your honorable body and the county road and bridge committee for one half of the cost of the said bridge to be built across a natural ditch on the half section line running east and west in section 15, township 21, range 8, east, under section 1218-4 Wisconsin statutes, the estimated cost of said bridge to be one thousand dollars, and that the said county road and bridge committee act with this board in the letting and accepting of the contract for the erection of said bridge. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated this 18th day of November A. D., 1920.

J. B. McNEIL.

W. E. VALENTINE

Town Board of Town of Pine Grove, Wisconsin.

Clerk read the annual report of T. F. Cauley, County Highway Commissioner, which was referred to the County State Road and Bridge Committee.

Clerk read the following list of personal property to be charged back which was referred to the committee on ways and means.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

RESOLUTION

Providing for Federal, State and County Aid Construction and Maintenance in the Calendar Year 1921

The county board of supervisors of Portage county regularly assembled, does hereby ordain as follows:

Sec. 1. WHEREAS, the state highway commission has notified the county clerk that the sum of six thousand two hundred thirty-five dollars and forty-six cents (\$6,235.46) has been allotted to this county under sections 1317m-1 to 1317m-15, inclusive, of the statutes, (the state aid law); and

WHEREAS, Section 1317m-5 requires that 50 per cent of the foregoing sum amounting to three thousand one hundred seventeen dollars and seventy-three cents (\$3,117.73) together with at least one and one-half times this amount of county funds must be expended on the state trunk highway system lying within the county;

There is hereby appropriated, under the provisions of sections 1317m-1 to 1317m-15, inclusive, the sum of sixteen thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$16,882.17), to meet the first 50 per cent of the state aid allotment to be placed on the state trunk highway system, this making available for this purpose the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00), which shall be expended as follows:

The sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) for the improvement by grading and surfacing of state trunk highway No. 73, beginning at southwest corner section 31, T23, R7E, and extending easterly as far as the money available will construct.

The sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) for the improvement by grading and surfacing of state trunk highway No. 18, beginning at Plover river bridge and extending easterly as far as the money available will construct.

The sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00) for the improvement by grading and surfacing of state trunk highway No. 66, beginning at end of 1919 work and extending westerly as far as the money available will construct.

Sec. 2. And in accordance with section 1317m-5, statutes, the second fifty per cent portion of the state aid allotted to this county, amounting to three thousand one hundred seventeen dollars and seventy-three cents (\$3,117.73), hereinafter undistributed, is appropriated for the improvements hereinafter named, county appropriations are made for each improvement, and taxes are levied against the municipalities in which such improvements lie, in accordance with the following schedule:

Municipality	State Aid	County Aid	Tax Against Municipality
Town of Belmont	\$779.44	\$1200.00	\$1200.00
Town of Lanark	779.43	800.00	800.00
Town of Linwood	779.43	1500.00	1500.00
Town of New Hope	779.43	1000.00	1000.00

And the improvements to be made under the foregoing schedule are hereby located on portions of the county system of prospective state highways not portions of the state trunk highway system, and their character determined as follows:

The improvement in the town of Belmont shall consist of grading and surfacing beginning one-quarter mile east of center section 27, T21, R10E, Almond-Heffron road and extending along said system in a southerly direction.

The improvement in the town of Lanark shall consist of grading and surfacing beginning south end of 1920 work on state road and extending along said system in a southerly direction.

The improvement in the town of New Hope shall consist of grading and surfacing beginning southeast corner section 36, Amherst Junction-Iola road and extending along said system in a westerly direction.

Sec. 3. WHEREAS, the various towns hereinafter named have filed petitions for county aid on improvements to be executed under the provisions of section 1317m-4, statutes, said petitions are hereby granted and county appropriations made in accordance with the following schedule, and improvements to be located by the state aid road and bridge committee and the town and village boards.

Municipality	Amount Raised by Municipality	County Aid	County Aid
Town of Alban	\$1000.00	\$1000.00	\$1000.00
Town of Almond	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00
Town of Amherst	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00
Town of Eau Claire	500.00	500.00	500.00
Town of Grant	500.00	500.00	500.00
Town of Buena Vista	1600.00	1600.00	1600.00
Town of Sharon	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00
Village of Almond	1000.00	1000.00	1000.00

The improvements to be made under the county aid provisions are determined as follows for 1921.

1. In the town of Alban the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) for the improvement by grading and surfacing, beginning at north end of 1920 work and extending north on the Alban-Peru road.

2. Town of Almond the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the improvement by grading and surfacing beginning at east end of clay road and continuing easterly.

3. Town of Amherst the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the improvement by grading and surfacing: First, the unimproved pieces on the Amherst-Lanark road; second, by grading and surfacing the Amherst Junction-Iola trunk line road on town line between T23-24, beginning at one quarter line section 4, T23-10 and extending easterly as far as funds available will construct, together with any fund that can be transferred by town board and state aid road and bridge committee belonging to town of Amherst.

4. Town of Eau Claire the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for the improvement by grading and surfacing, beginning at town hall of Eau Claire on 73 and extending northerly.

5. Town of Grant the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for the improvement by grading and surfacing, beginning at the north end of 1920 work and extending northerly on the Mehan road.

6. Town of Buena Vista the sum of thirty-two hundred dollars (\$3,200) for the improvement by grading, beginning at west end of 1920 work and extending westerly on Pleasant Valley road.

7. Town of Sharon the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the improvement by grading and surfacing on the Custer-Polina Road beginning on the line between Sharon and Stockton and extending northerly.

8. Village of Almond the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the improvement to be determined by the village board and the road and bridge committee.

Sec. 5. The said county board does hereby appropriate the following sums to be provided by a general county tax levy for the purposes set forth.

1. For the county's share of the cost of state aid improvements on the state trunk highway system provided for in section 2 of this resolution the sum of twelve thousand eighty-two dollars and twenty-three cents (\$12,082.23).

2. For the county's share of the cost of improvements on portions of the county system of prospective state highways not portions of the state trunk highway system, as set forth in section 3 of this resolution the sum of forty-five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00).

3. For the county's share of improvements on the county system of prospective state highways under section 1317m-4, seven thousand six hundred dollars (\$7,600.00).

The county treasurer is hereby directed to pay for the maintenance of the state trunk highway system from any funds in the county treasury that are not required for the purpose for which appropriated prior to August 1, 1921, and reimburse such funds from the sums received under section 2004 (3) (d) when same are received from the state treasury.

4. For the maintenance of the county system of prospective state highways (or county trunk highway system, or both) in addition to sums received under section 2004 (3) (a) the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

5. For emergency road and bridge fund the sum of nine thousand (\$9,000.00).

6. For the purchase of machinery and machinery repairs the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

7. For the purchase of county gravel pits and stone quarries the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

And the county board does hereby direct that taxes be levied against the several municipalities hereinafter named for the purposes set forth.

1. As a special benefit through state trunk highway system improvement under paragraph (a) of subsection 1 of 1317m-5 statutes, to first 50 per cent state aid improvement.

The town of Grant the sum of \$1440.00.

The town of Hull the sum of \$1340.00.

The town of Plover the sum of \$1920.00.

2. As the municipality's share of cost of improvement on portions of the county system of prospective state highways not portions of the state trunk highway system under paragraph (a) of subsection 1 of section 1317m-5 statutes.

The town of Belmont the sum of \$1200.00.

The town of Lanark the sum of \$800.00.

The town of Linwood the sum of \$1500.00.

The town of New Hope the sum of \$1000.00.

The town of Alban the sum of \$1000.00.

The town of Almond the sum of \$1000.00.
The town of Amherst the sum of \$1000.00.
The town of Eau Claire the sum of \$500.00.
The town of Grant the sum of \$500.00.
The town of Buena Vista the sum of \$1600.00.
The town of Sharon the sum of \$1000.00.
The village of Almond the sum of \$1000.00.

And the county clerk is hereby directed to place all taxes hereinafter levied against the county in the county tax, and to certify to all town, village and city clerks the amounts herein levied against their respective municipalities.

Signed
BEN HALVERSON,
D. W. SAWYER,
BRYAN TRUE,
J. B. MCNEIL,
JOS. WORTZALLA,
F. A. LUKASAVITZ,

County State Aid Road and Bridge Committee.
Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the resolution just read which carries with it the bond issue be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Supervisor Atwell that the bonds be sold at no less than par with accrued interest. Motion to amend carried by 25 ayes and 5 nays. The following voted aye: Supervisors Betker, Martin, True, Skoglund, Wilson, Starks, Sawyer, Loftis, Wolfe, Timm, Hammon, Halverson, Diver, McNeil, Parks, Halladay, Gilbert, Burant, F. Lukasavitz, Park, Mansur, Atwell, P. Lukasavitz, Mersch, Aldrich, Nays, Supervisors Wortzalla, Cycokosh, Laszewski, Stertz and Pascavis.

Moved in second amendment by Supervisor Atwell that the board proceed to vote on the bond issue as amended first. Motion carried, all voting aye.

The chairman announced that the board would now vote on the adoption or rejection of the bond issue as amended. Motion carried to adopt the bond issue by 26 ayes and 4 nays. The following voted aye: Supervisors Betker, Martin, True, Starks, Loftis, Wortzalla, Cycokosh, Wolfe, Timm, Laszewski, Stertz, Hammon, Pascavis, Halverson, Diver, McNeil, Parks, Halladay, Gilbert, Burant, F. Lukasavitz, Park, Mansur, P. Lukasavitz, Mersch and Aldrich. Nays, Supervisors Skoglund, Wilson, Sawyer and Atwell.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the report of the state aid road and bridge committee with the resolution be adopted. Motion carried by 29 ayes and 1 nay. The following voted aye: Supervisors Betker, Martin, True, Skoglund, Wilson, Starks, Sawyer, Loftis, Wortzalla, Cycokosh, Wolfe, Timm, Laszewski, Stertz, Hammon, Pascavis, Halverson, Diver, McNeil, Parks, Halladay, Gilbert, Burant, F. Lukasavitz, Park, Mansur, P. Lukasavitz, Mersch, Aldrich, Nays, Supervisor Atwell.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board proceed to elect a county state road and bridge committee.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell in amendment that the number of the county state road and bridge committee be increased from three to five members and the two additional members be from outside of the county board one of whom shall be a person from the city of Stevens Point. Motion to amend lost by 23 nays and 8 ayes. The following voted aye: Supervisors Skoglund, Sawyer, Park, Atwell, Mansur, P. Lukasavitz, Mersch and Aldrich. Nays, Supervisors Betker, Martin, True, Wilson, Starks, Loftis, Wortzalla, Cycokosh, Wolfe, Timm, Laszewski, Stertz, Hammon, Pascavis, Halverson, Diver, McNeil, Parks, Halladay, Gilbert, Burant and F. Lukasavitz. The original motion was then carried.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that Supervisor Halverson be elected chairman of the county state road and bridge committee. Motion carried.

The board proceeded to elect the second member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29 of which Supervisor Atwell received 6; G. Wolfe, 18; D. H. Parks, 2.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the informal ballot be declared formal and Supervisor Wolfe declared elected second member of the county state road and bridge committee. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that Supervisor Parks be elected third member of the county state road and bridge committee. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report which had been laid over: To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board: Gentlemen: We, your committee appointed to investigate the advisability of consolidating the county traveling library with Stevens Point city library would respectfully report that we do not think it advisable at the present time.

Also we would recommend that \$300 be appropriated to the county traveling library in place of \$200 as recommended by the committee.

Signed: D. W. SAWYER,
LOUIS SKOGLUND,
D. H. PARKS.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the report be adopted. Motion carried, all voting aye.

Following is the report of the committee on settlement with county officers and of the Portage county traveling library board:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your committee on settlement with county officers, to whom was referred the report of the Portage county traveling library committee report that we have carefully examined same and find it correct and recommend its adoption. We further recommend that the sum of \$200.00 be appropriated for said Portage county traveling library.

Dated this 18th day of Nov., 1920.

C. J. GILBERT,
RICHARD WILSON,
JOHN PASCAVIS,
BEN HALVERSON.

The Seventeenth Annual Report of the Portage County Traveling Library Board

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: The statement of funds received and expended for the year ending October 27, 1920, is as follows:

Receipts	
Balance November 10, 1919	\$96.75
June 19, 1920, received from county treasurer, laws of Wisconsin, section 697, page 12, 75.00	
June 19, 1920, received from American Railway Express company for one chest of lost books 50.00	
No appropriation made by county board in 1919	
Total receipts for 1920	\$221.75

Disbursements	
For 51 volumes	\$46.08
Express on 28 chests of books	19.92
Mending material	1.05
Postals	.25
Librarian's salary	50.00
To American Railway Express for chest of books found and returned	50.00
Total disbursements for 1920	\$180.35

Balance November 10, 1920 4140

It is greatly to be regretted that the annual report of the Portage county traveling library board for 1919 failed to reach the board of supervisors at the 1919 meeting, and that no appropriation was made to continue the work. The members of the traveling library board believe that the people of Portage county desire to continue the traveling library system in order that they may have good books freely distributed throughout the county.

There is a movement among the fifteen counties in this state having the county traveling library system to make a change in its administration. Miss Julia Wright Merrill, member of the county library committee of the Wisconsin Library association, came to Stevens Point Sept. 26, 1920, to interest the Stevens Point Public Library board as well as the county traveling library board in the proposed change. Miss Merrill called a meeting at Amherst on Sept. 20th and explained the plan to some twenty representative ladies; the week following a group of business men and others took up the plan favorably.

The Stevens Point Public Library favored the new plan, and the Milwaukee and Antigo Public Libraries are now operating under it.

It is expected that Mr. C. B. Lester, secretary of the Wisconsin Free Library commission, will address the board of supervisors and explain the proposed change which may be favorably outlined as follows:

The law of 1917 provides that any library board may contract with the board of supervisors of a county to loan books singly or in traveling libraries to its inhabitants for a proper consideration. In return for this service, the county may make an appropriation to a public library which undertakes this extension work. See Wisconsin statutes 1917, section 45, paragraph 21 as amended by laws of 1919, ch. 231.

The Stevens Point librarians report many of the county teachers drawing books for their pupils and themselves, to read for the state reading circle. The county people are borrowing more and more books from the Stevens Point public library, and if the library is to maintain this service to non-residents,

the county must vote a sufficient appropriation as its share. In return the county readers have the services of a trained librarian, a larger selection of books to choose from, and books sent them in response to a telephone call or a postal.

If the new plan is adopted as proposed by the Wisconsin Free Library commission, the traveling library board will go out of existence, and the books which number some 1700 volumes will be turned over to the Stevens Point Public Library where good use will be made of them.

In case the board of supervisors prefer to retain the system now in operation the members of the traveling library board respectfully petition the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Portage county for five hundred dollars (\$500.00) (\$200.00 of this amount being what we should have had last year) and \$300.00 for this year as the price of books has nearly doubled that of last year.

Each and every member of the board of supervisors is invited to visit the city library, and to confer with the librarian on what books they would like in their community, and to inform themselves about the chests of books which will be furnished to any person in the county who applies and calls for them.

Signed: MRS. R. A. COOK, Pres.
MRS. A. P. EEN, V. Pres.
MARTHA G. WEEB, Sec. & Treas.

Please appoint Mrs. A. P. Een for the term 1919-1922; Mrs. Chas. E. Shortell for the term 1920-1923; and Miss M. G. Week for the term 1920-1923.

Report of Portage County Traveling Library

Number of libraries	31
Number of volumes at beginning of year	1458
Number of volumes at beginning of year—Foreign	311
Number of volumes added—English	51
Number of volumes lost and discarded—English	29
Number of volumes at the end of year—English	1478
Total number of volumes at the end of year—Foreign	311
Active stations	1789
Circulation	1500

LAMBLA, WERT.

Clerk read a statement of the justice of peace on fines which was referred to the committee on settlement with county officers.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock, p. m. Motion carried.
Stevens Point, Wis., November 24, 1920. 1:30 o'clock p. m. Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.
Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Halladay and Atwell excused.

Clerk read a resolution asking for an appropriation to make an exhibit at the state f. l. r.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the resolution be laid over until tomorrow morning. Motion carried.

Clerk read a petition from R. K. McDonald asking permission to remove marl from Lake Emily.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the petition be referred to the county poor farm committee. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wis.:

We, your special committee appointed to investigate, make recommendation and draw resolutions concerning the regulation of truck traffic of the state would respectfully report as follows:

Whereas, trucks used for transportation of freight are committing destruction of the highways of the county due to the excessive loads which they carry and because of the construction of the trucks.

Therefore Be It Resolved, That we hereby recommend the 1921 legislature that they make some provisions compelling the operators of these trucks to assist in maintaining these highways.

Be It Further Resolved, That a legislative committee of one member be appointed by our chairman to draft and submit to such legislature a bill to accomplish the object of preventing their damage or to secure recompense therefor.

Be It Further Resolved, That this committee be instructed to work in conjunction with committees of other counties to bring about the results of this resolution. This committee be also authorized to attend a state meeting at Madison called by the several counties to draft a resolution to meet the requirements of the case and present same to 1921 legislature.

Respectfully submitted

D. H. PARKS,
BEN HALVERSON,
V. P. ATWELL,

Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the state aid road and bridge committee.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: Whereas the state aid road and bridge committee of the county has been notified that Waukegan county has adopted the Iola-Stevens Point road as a county trunk line and we the undersigned supervisors of the towns of Amherst and New Hope petition your honorable body to adopt what is known as the town line road as a Portage county trunk line from the east boundary line of Portage county west to Amherst Junction-Rosholt road, a distance of three and one-half miles.

BEN HALVERSON,
LOUIS SKOGLUND,

BEN HALVERSON,
BRYON TRUE,
F. A. LUKASAVITZ,
D. W. SAWYER,

Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski the report be adopted. Motion carried.

The petition referred to the state aid road and bridge committee from the towns of Hull, Dewey and Sharon asking for road to connect with a highway in Marathon county to be known as a county state aid highway was reported on as follows:

We recommend that the petition be denied for the reason that there is a state aid road laid out connecting the two points.

BEN HALVERSON,
D. W. SAWYER,
BRYON TRUE,
F. A. LUKASAVITZ,
J. B. MCNEIL,
JOS. WORTZALLA,

Committee on state aid roads and bridges.

Moved by Supervisor Pascavis the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on county poor:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your committee on county poor to whom was referred the petition of Fred Stubs would respectfully recommend that his petition be granted.

Dated this 24th day of Nov., 1920.

Signed: C. J. GILBERT,
JOHN PASCAVIS,
G. D. ALDRICH,
CHAS. HAMMON,
RICHARD WILSON,
BRYON TRUE.

To the County Board of Portage County:

Gentlemen: Having lost my right leg in an accident several years ago, and being desirous of obtaining an artificial limb, that I may "carry on," I hereby respectfully petition the county board of Portage county to assist me in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated at Amherst Junction, Wis., Nov. 22, 1920.

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on county poor.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your committee on county poor to whom was referred the several petitions for aid to blind persons would respectfully recommend that they be granted as follows:

Math Colby, \$100; Julius Colby, \$100, and Wm. Koch, \$100.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1920.

C. J. GILBERT,
BRYON TRUE,
RICHARD WILSON,
CHAS. HAMMON,
G. D. ALDRICH,
JOHN PASCAVIS.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

The report of the agricultural committee asking for an appropriation for the county agent's fund was taken up at this time.

Moved by Supervisor Skoglund the report be amended and \$400 added for office equipment. Motion carried, all voting aye.

The report of the committee with the amendment adding \$400 for office equipment was then adopted.

Following is the report of the committee and the amendment:

To the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin:

The Portage county agricultural committee would recommend that there be appropriated the following sum to be raised and the same be known as the county agent fund:

Twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500) for salary and expenses of the county agent's office. Also \$400 for office equipment.

A motion to the above effect was passed at the meeting of the committee on Nov. 11, 1920.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. MARTIN, Chairman of Committee.

Clerk read bids from the State Bank of Rosholt, Citizens National bank, Stevens Point, and the International Bank of Amherst for depository of the county funds.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the bid of the International bank of Amherst be accepted and the bank be declared depository for the county funds. Motion carried.

Following is the bid of the International bank:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors for Portage County, Stevens Point, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: In response to your invitation to submit bids for the depository of

April 22, 1920, Mrs. Anna Swanson, cleaning court house	4.00
April 23, 1920, Elmer Aldrich hauling ashes from jail	12.00
April 23, 1920, Mrs. Lena Koch, cleaning court house	12.00
April 23, 1920, Paulina Siefert, cleaning court house	12.00
April 23, 1920, Mrs. C. Rustad, cleaning court house	15.00
April 23, 1920, Raymond King, scraping and kalsomining court house	42.50
May 7, 1920, Chet King, kalsomining court house	45.00
May 10, 1920, Elmer Aldrich, hauling rubbish from court house	9.00
May 23, 1920, Shauette Transfer Co., drayage	1.50
May 26, 1920, Gull Woodworth, repairing court jail roof	17.00
June 1, 1920, M. J. Mersch, repairing court room	4.50
June 1, 1920, Skalski Co., plaster	2.00
June 9, 1920, Stevens Point Electric Sales Co., repairing lights	3.10
June 20, 1920, G. K. Mansur, repairing pump	.50
June 29, 1920, Chas. Helm, flowers for court house yard	7.50
July 13, 1920, Roy Johnson, carpenter work	9.30
July 13, 1920, Frank Roberts, laying cement walks court house	44.00
July 19, 1920, Bells Electric shop, repairs	5.50
July 23, 1920, N. J. Puariea, papering and painting court house	290.00
July 27, 1920, H. D. McCulloch Co., supplies	24.70
Aug. 2, 1920, N. J. Puariea, painting register of deeds office	48.55
Aug. 14, 1920, G. A. Swanson, gravel for cement work	6.01
Aug. 24, 1920, Dell King, papering and painting county agent's room	15.00
Sept. 4, 1920, Homer Gotchy, cleaning chimneys	10.00
Sept. 24, 1920, Soo line, freight	2.00
Oct. 6, 1920, Krems Hdw. Co., supplies	19.85
Oct. 16, 1920, Carl Aldrich, hauling ashes from court house	10.00
Oct. 25, 1920, W. E. Macklin, flowers court house yard	24.70
Nov. 2, 1920, Ray Bourn, fixing storm windows	8.00

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on settlement with county officers:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your committee on settlement with county officers to whom was referred the report of the justice of the peace respectfully report as follows that we have carefully examined same and find that all money has been paid into the treasury and recommend its adoption.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1920.

C. J. GILBERT,
CHAS. HAMMON,
BEN HALVERSON,
RICHARD WILSON,
Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on settlement with county officers:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your committee on settlement with county officers to whom was referred the report of J. R. Piffner, district attorney, respectfully report as follows:

We have examined the said report and find it correct in all details.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1920.

C. J. GILBERT,
RICHARD WILSON,
CHAS. HAMMON,
JOHN PASCALIS,
BEN HALVERSON,
Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the county state road and bridge committee.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: We, your committee on county state roads and bridges, to whom was referred the report of T. E. Cauley, county highway commissioner, would respectfully report as follows:

That we compared the same with the books, vouchers and other records in his office and find it correct in every detail. We further recommend that the \$5,000 that is now in the federal emergency fund be transferred to the county emergency fund. Respectfully submitted this 24th day of November, 1920.

BEN HALVERSON,
GEO. WOLFE, Sr.,
D. H. PARKS,
Committee.

Following is the report of T. E. Cauley, county highway commissioner:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen: In presenting my ninth annual report to your Honorable body, I wish to say: The work in 1920 has been as satisfactory as could be expected under the condition existing, help has been hard to secure but the assistance given by the chairman of the various localities where we have had work in securing local men and teams to help out on the work was of great help and was appreciated.

We have built during the season 17 1/2 miles of 15 foot gravel road, 7 1/2 miles of 9 foot gravel road, also surfaced with gravel about 6 miles of old road, besides grading 6 miles of road, have built the new Jordan bridge, at a cost as shown in the report, have also built a 10 foot concrete culvert on the Almond-Waupaca road, and have expended about \$28,000.00 on federal road maintenance.

The difference shown in the report of the county treasurer and my report is as follows. I carry in my report the money that is due the county from the state and federal governments which the treasurer does not show until he has received the money from those units.

Thanking the members of the county board for the courtesy shown me and for the help you have given me in the performance of my duties, I herewith submit my report as follows:

T. E. CAULEY,
County Highway Commissioner

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GEO. WOLFE, Sr.,
D. H. PARKS,
Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer the report be adopted. Motion carried.

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BEN HALVERSON,
GEO. WOLFE, Sr.,
D. H. PARKS,
Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the county state road and bridge committee.

From Belmont road fund	25.40
Total	3,376.20
Orders drawn	3,322.20
Balance in fund	44.90
Town of Amherst—Amherst-Scandia Road	
County appropriation 1919	800.00
Town appropriation 1919	500.00
Balance in fund 1919	.86
Total	1,300.86
Balance in fund 1920	1,609.86
Town of Buena Vista—Pleasant Valley Road	
County appropriation 1919	600.00
Town appropriation 1919	600.00
Balance 1919	155.92
Total	1,355.92
Orders drawn 1920	1,550.60
Overdrawn	194.68
Town of Carson—Milladore-Junction City Road	
County appropriation 1919	3,466.68
Town appropriation 1919	2,160.00
State appropriation 1919	3,273.32
Total	9,000.00
Credit for T. E. Cauley rebate on freight	14.00
Total appropriation	9,014.00
Orders drawn	6,014.22
Balance in fund	2,999.68
Town of Dewey—Federal Road	
County appropriation, 1918	12,000.00
State appropriation 1918	12,000.00
Federal appropriation 1918	12,000.00
Total	36,000.00
Orders drawn 1919-1920	35,995.44
Balance in fund	4.56
Village of Rosholt	
Balance in fund 1919	26.92
Orders drawn 1920	
Balance in fund 1920	26.92
Town of Eau Claire—Milladore-Junction City Road	
Balance in fund 1919	3,667.60
Orders drawn 1920	2,292.42
Balance in fund 1920	1,375.18
Town of Hall—Stevens Point-Waupaca Road	
Balance in fund 1919	1,359.89
Orders drawn 1920	7,222.60
Overdrawn 1920	5,872.71
Village of Junction City	
Balance in fund 1919	1,553.50
Orders drawn 1920	2,168.46
Overdrawn 1920	614.96
Advanced by village 1920	614.96
Town of Carson—Grand Rapids-Milladore Road	
Town appropriation 1918	700.00
County appropriation 1918	700.00
Transferred from bridge fund	129.87
State appropriation	318.70
Total appropriation 1920	1,848.57
Orders drawn 1920	1,114.10
Balance in fund 1920	734.47
Town of Grant—Kelner-Mechan Road	
County appropriation 1919	500.00
Town appropriation 1919	500.00
Balance in fund	48.89
Error in 1919	6.47
Total in fund	1,055.36
Orders drawn in 1920	38.80
Balance in fund	1,016.56
Town of Lanark—Lanark Road	
County appropriation 1919	805.96
Town appropriation 1919	805.96
State appropriation 1919	805.96
Balance in fund 1919	3,107.53
Total	5,525.41
Orders drawn 1920	
Balance in fund 1920	5,525.41
Town of Linwood—Stevens Point-Rodolph Road	
County appropriation 1917	1,000.00
County appropriation 1918	1,000.00
Town appropriation 1917	1,000.00
Town appropriation 1918	1,000.00
State appropriation 1917	122.21
State appropriation 1918	226.42
Total	4,348.63
Ordered drawn 1920	4,040.03
Balance in fund	308.60
Town of Linwood—Stevens Point-Rocky Run Road	
County appropriation 1919	1,000.00
Town appropriation 1919	1,000.00
State appropriation 1919	406.55
Total	2,406.55
Orders drawn 1920	
Balance in fund 1920	2,406.55
Town of New Hope—Amherst Junction-Rosholt Road	
County appropriation 1919	806.29
Town appropriation 1919	806.29
State appropriation 1919	806.29
Balance in fund 1919	3,208.08
Total	5,326.95
Orders drawn 1920	5,924.69
Overdrawn 1920	197.74
Town of Plover—Plover-Grand Rapids Road	
County appropriation 1919	2,000.00
Town appropriation 1919	2,000.00
Balance in fund 1919	4,727.10
Total	8,727.10
Orders drawn 1920	16,544.66
Overdrawn 1920	7,817.56
Town of Sharon—Stevens Point-Rosholt Road	
Balance in fund 1919	104.03
Credit for stone	678.99
Total	783.02
Orders drawn	782.02
Overdrawn 1920	100.00
Town of Stockton—Stevens Point-Waupaca Road	
County appropriation 1919	1,777.50
Town appropriation 1919	1,777.50
Balance in fund 1919	440.78
Credit rock	14.50
Total	4,010.28
Orders drawn 1920	
Balance in fund 1920	4,010.28
Town of Stockton—Arnell-Ellis Road	
County appropriation 1919	400.00
Town appropriation 1919	400.00
Total	800.00
Orders drawn	
Balance in fund	800.00
Town of Stockton—Custer-Polina Road	
County appropriation 1919	700.00
Town appropriation 1919	700.00
Total	1,400.00
Orders drawn 1920	
Balance in fund 1920	1,400.00
Town of Pine Grove—Bancroft-Plainfield Road	
County appropriation 1919	564.96
Town appropriation 1919	564.96
State appropriation 1919	564.96

Balance in fund 1919	2,490.43
Total	4,191.31
Orders drawn 1920	194.10
Balance in fund 1920	3,997.21
Town of Hall—Jordan Bridge	
County appropriation 1919	2,920.66
Town appropriation 1919	1,547.11
State appropriation 1919	3,245.18
Transferred from emergency fund, federal	879.05
Total	8,592.00
Paid Fred Bo-ari	8,792.00
Credit for filling	140.00
Credit for sand	60.00
Total cost of bridge	8,992.00
County Maintenance Fund	
Cash from State treasurer account motor vehicles	\$ 8,526.94
Cash from federal maintenance fund	1,085.50
Cash from Dewey federal road No. 10	174.45
Cash from Hall road fund	338.00
Cash from Carson road fund	180.00
Cash from Eau Claire road fund	45.00
Cash from Linwood road fund	25.00
Cash from Amherst Junction village	30.00
Cash from Twin City Tractor Co.	225.00
Balance in fund 1919	7,483.39
Balance in fund	\$18,113.28
Total orders drawn in 1920	11,747.00
Balance in fund	\$ 6,366.28
County Emergency Fund	
Transferred from federal emergency fund by resolution county board 1919	\$ 3,000.00
Transferred from Amherst Village road fund resolution county board 1919	400.00
Transferred from general fund	2,000.00
Cash from Hardware Casualty Co. dividend	9.13
Cash from T. E. Cauley for barn	65.00
Total in fund	\$ 5,474.13
Amount overdrawn in 1919	9,536.13
Total orders drawn in 1920	2,230.40
Amount overdrawn in 1920	6,292.46
County Federal Emergency Fund	
Amount transferred from General fund 1917	\$ 2,857.00
Amount transferred from general fund 1918	3,000.00
Total appropriation	\$ 5,857.00
Transferred by county board to emergency fund	3,000.00
Balance in fund	2,857.00
Orders drawn in 1918	220.00
Balance in fund 1919	2,637.00
Orders drawn in 1919	359.00
Balance in fund 1919	2,278.00
Transferred from general fund by resolution county board	5,000.00
Total in fund	7,278.00
Orders drawn in 1920	923.14
Balance in fund 1920	\$ 6,354.86

Moved by Supervisor Betker the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the state aid roads and bridge committee.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board:

Gentlemen: We, your committee to whom was referred the petition of the town of Stockton for \$2,000 for state aid road work on the road beginning at the south town line between sections 31 and 32, town 23, range 9E, and extending along said system northerly as far as money available will construct. We, your committee, will recommend that \$1,200 be transferred from the Stockton road fund on No 18 to the above road and we further recommend that the sum of \$2,355 be transferred from same fund to the Custer-Polina state aid road.

Signed
BEN HALVERSON,
F. A. LUKASAVITZ,
J. B. MCNEIL,
BRYON TRUE,
JOS. WORZALLA,
D. W. SAWYER,
Committee.

Following is the petition of the town of Stockton:

To the Chairman and Honorable Board of Supervisors of Portage County:

Gentlemen: The undersigned respectfully petition your Honorable body for an appropriation of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) for the purpose of re-surfacing and building concrete culverts on the following described road located in the town of Stockton, viz: Beginning at the south town line between sections 31 and 32, town 23, range 9E, and extending along said system northerly as far as money available will construct. We, your committee, will recommend that \$1,200 be transferred from the Stockton road fund on No 18 to the above road and we further recommend that the sum of \$2,355 be transferred from same fund to the Custer-Polina state aid road.

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IS EXPERIENCED TEACHER

COUNTS ON HER RECORD IN SOLICITING SUPPORT OF THE VOTERS

Miss Alice M. Gordon announces herself a candidate for Portage county superintendent of schools, a position she now holds by virtue of appointment made early in January by State Supt. C. P. Cary. She was named to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Lancelot A. Gordon, who became assistant secretary of state at Madison, her appointment being for the remainder of the unexpired term which continues until the first Monday in July. The election, however, comes in April.

Teaching Experience
Miss Gordon believes that her teaching experience and training have especially prepared her for the field of work in which she now seeks to continue and will engage in an active campaign in the interests of her candidacy. She is a graduate of the State Normal here and has taught in the fifth, sixth and seventh grades of the Almond schools, also holding the principalship of the graded school at Nelsonville. Other experience includes two years as a supervising teacher in Portage county, in addition to holding a similar position in Winnebago county.

On Normal Faculty
Miss Gordon also served as a member of the State Normal faculty during two summer sessions, having charge of the graded work there and also teaching rural classes in the rural department. Prior to the time she received appointment she was the teacher in the demonstration school in the town of Hull which is conducted in connection with the Normal rural department. She holds a life teaching certificate.

The county superintendent has been a resident of Portage county practically all of her life. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gordon, Jr., who reside on a farm near Nelsonville.

To Have Opposition
Miss Gordon will be opposed for the office by Michael Rybicki of this city, who announced his candidacy a few weeks ago.

STATE PAYS FIDDLER MILWAUKEE BENEFITS

APPROPRIATION FOR A RENT BOARD IN ONE LARGE CITY MAY BE CUT OFF

Madison, Wis., Feb. 22.—When the assembly considers the emergency appropriation for the Milwaukee rent board Wednesday, Assemblyman Walter Polakowski, Milwaukee, will offer an amendment reducing the appropriation from \$10,000 to \$5,000. This will allow the office to continue but will necessitate the Milwaukee city council paying the salaries of most of the employees.

Polakowski, a member of the joint finance committee, expressed the belief today that his amendment would go through. Opposition to the emergency appropriation developed because of the amount of money involved. The fact that the state must continue paying office rent of \$300 until July 1, has caused many members to change their minds, Polakowski said.

Abolish Commission
The 8,000 members of the Racine Trades Labor council have petitioned the legislature to abolish the railroad commission because of its recent decision.

The Wisconsin Rapids Trades council has also petitioned the legislature to abolish the commission.

Both petitions were presented to the assembly by Speaker Riley Young.

Butter Bill
The Nelson bill fixing the standard of butter at 90 per cent butter fat and allowing a 2 1/2 per cent tolerance was advanced to third reading after some debate.

County Agents
The Marks bill, extending state aid to more counties desiring county agricultural agents, was advanced to third reading after debate. The bill permits state aid to 58 counties this year, 45 in 1922 and 71 in 1923. The state will allow each county having an agent \$1,000 annually for salary. It is optional with counties whether a county agent may be procured. So counties, assemblymen said, would discontinue the plan this year because of the expense.

Feed Bill
The Sullivan bill, providing that all ground feeds sold should be labeled correctly as to content, was advanced to third reading and engrossment. The bill is designed to prevent millers from selling adulterants as ground feed.

FORTY-TWO HUNDRED MORE

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"It burns him up" to hear, when sitting behind others in trains or in other hotels, to hear the way traveling men talk of the inadequate hotel accommodations here. Frequently in trains he will hear men advising each other where to go and where to stop, and the point is often made that a traveling man should endeavor to get into Stevens Point and out the same day in order to be sure of a place to sleep.

Mr. Allen said that Stevens Point will be a good Sunday town for traveling men when the hotel is done. "They say now they don't intend to be shot all around town looking for a room," he said.

Call It a Home
Harold S. Dyer, of the Normal faculty, who was at Green Bay Saturday, was unable to get into the Beaumont hotel there on account of the over crowded condition and was obliged to go to Appleton to get a room. While in the lobby of the Beaumont he overheard a party of traveling men discussing hotel accommodations and he told them of the hotel plans here. He found them much gratified. They said that Stevens Point is a good town to stop over in for other reasons, the river and the new theater being mentioned, and that when there is a bigger and more modern hotel, it will be a favorite stopping point. At Appleton Mr. Dyer found the Stevens Point hotel also talked of. "The traveling men feel as though we were providing them a home, and I was told by one man that he would make his headquarters here as soon as the hotel has been built," he said.

All Confident
The feeling for the hotel grows more confident and hopeful. Enthusiasm ebbed when Mr. Body was sick, but his return renewed it and again inspired the workers who have been trying hard and meeting some discouraging experiences. Mr. Body said the situation is excellent. The amount is now so large that the project cannot be allowed to lose. The campaign will be kept up until the total fund is subscribed.

All Invited
Every noon the workers meet at the Public library club rooms to dine and exchange experiences. Anyone interested is invited to come to these meetings. There is no solicitation at that time. Each person who comes pays 50 cents for his own dinner.

M. J. Mersch, Paul Hoffman, Chas. H. Simonson, Ted Menzel, H. G. Quandt, John J. Bukolt, Dr. L. P. Pasternacki, J. M. Pfiffner, O. B. Webber, J. B. Sullivan, H. J. Webb, Dr. W. P. Mailer, S. H. Wozzalla, F. M. Jerzak, John Frymark, Rev. J. C. Hogan, J. J. Normington, Joseph G. Walkovitch, G. A. Gullikson, Charles M. Rosenow, Dr. E. M. Rogers, F. A. Neuberger, John N. Peickert, Ted Bach, F. D. Reynolds, Charles H. Cashin, M. E. Bruce, W. E. Atwell, R. D. Austin, T. M. Olrich, Ed Larson, John H. Finch, M. E. Ames, and Robert C. Porter are among those, in addition to those above mentioned, who have been doing good work and who have been at many of the noonday conferences. Manager Albrecht of the soliciting force of the Farmers Tractor company has been giving all his time to pushing the hotel proposition and has been doing good work.

Miss Nannie Gray, member of the Normal faculty, is among those who have volunteered to take stock. Four young women in the office of the Cops company and two in the Journal office are among the subscribers.

Going After Fifth
At today's meeting Messrs. Mersch, Hoffman and Simonson promised to do their utmost to enlist the support of Fifth ward residents. This was one of the best wards in the city in the war drives. It is a ward of workmen, many of them pretty well fixed. It simply has to be shown.

In many cases workmen are better able to buy stock than business men. The merchant ordinarily has all his funds tied up in his business. His profits are represented usually by new stock or equipment, and not by money. The man on a salary is more likely to have ready cash than the business man, three-fourths of whom will borrow from the banks what they put into the hotel stock.

Mr. Simonson pointed out at today's meeting that the Modern Woodmen, in which he is active, will benefit financially from the construction of the hotel as its property across the street will be enhanced in value by the erection of the hotel.

Helps in Taxes
Alderman Paul Hoffman directed attention to the effect on the taxation situation to be caused by the erection of the insurance building and the hotel, aggregating almost a million dollars for buildings, equipment and furnishings. The total is about one-sixth or one-seventh of the total assessed valuation of the city. If the total sum to be raised here remains about the same, the assessment can be reduced five or six mills on all the other real estate and personal property in the city.

Turns in Names
In handing in his subscription for stock O. Parmeter also gave the secretary a list of friends out of the city he thought might be interested. Mr. Body believes this a good suggestion and asks that others do the same.

CITY BRIEFS

WEDNESDAY

Carl N. Jacobs was at Minneapolis on Tuesday, where in the afternoon he gave an address on casualty insurance before the Minnesota Retail Hardware Association in annual convention.

Miss Ruth Finnessy, principal of state graded school at Custer, resumed her work today after an absence of one week, during which time she was suffering with a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Miss Alice M. Gordon, county superintendent, and Miss Lucile Berard, supervising teacher, visited schools in the town of Almond today.

W. W. Clark, county agricultural agent, was a business visitor at Almond today.

H. J. O'Rourke, who has been spending the past two and one-half months in Tennessee and Kentucky, returned to Stevens Point last Saturday. Mr. O'Rourke will re-open his popcorn stand at Clark street and Strong's avenue at once.

Elmer J. Stimm returned to Stevens Point the first of the week after a six weeks' wedding trip in the south and west. His wife is at present at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. Stimm at Medford, where the couple spent several days last week. Mr. Stimm has resumed his duties as a dispatcher at the divisional offices of the Soo line here.

Louis Koehn of Nekosco was a guest at the home of Charles Brandt, Sr., in Linwood the first of the week, making the trip by motor. Mr. Brandt returned to Nekosco with him for a visit at the home of his son, J. H. Brandt.

Miss Stella Lemmon, nurse for the Consolidated Water Power & Paper company, motored here from Wisconsin Rapids Monday, spending the afternoon in the city.

Mrs. A. B. Wandy of Wausau, who came here to attend the funeral of her uncle, the late Charles W. Bentley, which was held at Shantytown Tuesday morning, returned to her home Tuesday evening.

THURSDAY

C. E. Nebel has gone to Madison and Milwaukee on a business trip.

Mrs. A. P. Smith, 312 Strong's avenue, has gone to Montello for a short visit with relatives and friends.

K. P. McCamley, manager of the hardware department of the Johnson & Hill company store at Wisconsin Rapids, was a recent business visitor in Stevens Point.

Miss Nellie Cashman of De Pere was in Stevens Point this morning en route to Westfield, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the High school.

Mrs. Ed Elliott of Plainfield, who has been a guest of her cousin, Mrs. L. W. Alvord, 621 Ellis street, and other relatives in this city, returned to her home today.

Mrs. A. P. Een, who has been visiting at the homes of Mrs. C. B. Baker, 639 Church street, and Mrs. Harriet E. Edwards, 526 Strong's avenue, returned to her home at Amherst this morning.

Mrs. F. Foss of Coloma, who has been the guest of her son, E. R. Foss, 123 McCulloch street, and her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Getman, 513 Ellis street, during the past week, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Reese of Dodgeville are stopping here for a time. Mrs. Reese taking treatment at River Pine. Mr. Reese is in the banking business at Dodgeville. He was formerly located at Marshfield.

Mrs. M. C. Whitlock and little son, Bobby of Wisconsin Rapids and Mrs. Frank Schmeling and little son, Billy, of Wausau have been guests since Monday at the R. W. Morse home, 115 North Division street. They returned to their respective homes this afternoon.

Mrs. Whitlock and Mrs. Schmeling are sisters of Mrs. Morse.

Miss Harriett Wither, field worker for the school for the deaf at Delavan, who has visiting Portage county homes in which there are deaf children, left this morning for Milwaukee. Miss Wither was assisted in her work in this county by Miss Alice M. Gordon, county superintendent, and Miss Lucile Berard, supervising teacher.

FRIDAY

Miss Sadie Kruger, a student at the State Normal school, has gone to her home at Coloma to spend the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Geigel of Monroe, who have been guests at the W. H. Allen home, 311 Pine street, returned to their home today. Mrs. Geigel is a sister of Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. Emil Ziebart, 227 Illinois avenue, visited friends at Bancroft today.

Mrs. P. J. Bresnahan, 617 Strong's avenue, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Norby, at Amherst Junction today.

Mrs. W. E. Marsh, 921 Ellis street, has gone to Madison for a short visit with her brother, Dr. W. L. Gitteth, and her son, Herbert Marsh, who is a student at the University. Mrs. Marsh's daughter, Miss Jane, who teaches school at Edgerton, will also be at Madison.

Mrs. W. E. McDonald of Chippewa Falls is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. J. Walsh, 307 Center avenue.

SATURDAY

T. J. Anders and Fred Plegmeyer of Werner, N. Dak., spent Friday in this city while en route to Illinois on a business trip in the interests of some coal bearing land which they own near Werner. Mr. Anders, who is a former Stevens Point, has large real estate

interests in North Dakota and also represents Dunn county as chairman of its board of county commissioners.

Miss Avia Anschuetz, who has charge of first grade classes in one of the schools at Prentice, came down this morning for a week-end visit at home.

Miss Freda Abbot, who teaches at Wausau, is a guest of Miss Minnie Horn, 810 Clark street.

Mrs. W. R. Ruff and daughter, Mrs. John Dumbleton, spent Thursday in Milwaukee, returning home Friday morning.

Mrs. W. E. Macklin is spending several days in Milwaukee, a guest at the home of Mr. Macklin's cousin, S. MacMichael. She will also go to Chicago before returning home.

Prof. H. R. Stelner of the State Normal faculty refereed a basketball game at Wausau on Friday evening between the Wausau and Weyauwega High school teams, the former winning 17 to 4. The contest was close and hard fought throughout.

Mrs. D. J. Leahy is spending the weekend in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bu Val have gone to Chicago to spend the week-end at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. W. Anderson.

Mrs. J. Maher and children left today for Milwaukee to spend a week at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. J. Hackett.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pollard of McMill visited friends in this city today.

Mrs. N. K. Nelson of Wild Rose, who has been the guest of her son, S. K. Nelson, has returned home.

Mrs. A. E. Dwinell of Amherst, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Foxen, 612 Wisconsin street, returned home today.

Mrs. Ray Spald and children, William and Leona, 335 Washington avenue, have gone to Bancroft, where they will be the guests of Mr. Spald's mother, Mrs. Angeline Spald.

Mrs. A. S. Peterson, 220 McCulloch street, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Anderson at Milwaukee.

Miss Florence Grant of Minneapolis is an over Sunday guest at the home of Mrs. E. B. Wheelock, 306 North First street.

Mrs. E. H. Schulhof of Superior is spending two weeks at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Krembs, 1025 Main street.

MONDAY

Harold S. Dyer of the Normal faculty refereed a basketball game at Neillsville last Friday evening between the Neillsville and Granton High school teams. Granton was defeated by a 29 to 20 score.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Truman E. Hartman, 418 Elk street, on Sunday, February 13. The new arrival has been named Virginia. There are two other children in the family, both boys.

Florian Bannach, who holds a position with the Federal Mailable company of Milwaukee, arrived in the city the latter part of last week for a visit with friends and relatives here and at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bannach at Custer.

Mrs. C. R. Madden and two daughters, Martha and Fay, 908 Church street, returned Saturday from Ashland, where they spent a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Weller and little daughter, Lois, of North Fond du Lac are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Weller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Willett, 719 Church street.

Mrs. Otto Meitzel of this city leaves on a night train for Duluth to visit for a few weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alfred Krause.

Miss Fern Willett, who teaches at Wisconsin Rapids, spent the week-end at her home in this city.

Mrs. Johanna Longhurst and grandson, Roy, of Neenah, spent the week-end at the home of her son, William Longhurst, 219 Center street.

Miss Margaret Geiger of Marshfield is spending a few days at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maurer, 116 Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin G. Means and two children are spending several weeks in California, visiting Los Angeles, Long Beach and other cities in the southern portion of that state.

Mr. Means' uncle, Geo. Corrigan, and Mrs. Means' aunt, Mrs. Jos. Keinhof, formerly Bunnie Gray of this city, now live at Long Beach.

Mrs. John Heisen of Menasha is spending a few days with her daughter, Miss Corlie Heisen of the High school faculty, at Peter Trieweller's.

Thos. W. Grooms, an early day Stevens Point flyerman but now located at Modesto, where he fills a responsible position with the paper company, came down this morning to spend a couple of days among local friends. Except for a few minutes stay here a couple of weeks ago, this is Mr. Grooms' first visit in twenty-three years and it is difficult for him to locate many familiar landmarks.

Lancelot A. Gordon, assistant secretary of state at Madison, is spending the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gordon.

Carl S. Orthman will go to Eau Claire tonight to attend a meeting of Group I of the Wisconsin Bankers' Association. Mr. Orthman is vice-president for Wisconsin of the American Bankers' association.

D. E. Frost and Harry Fischer will go to Chicago tonight on a brief business trip.

Miss Clara Eiden, local toll operator, who has been transferred to Abbotford for a short time, was a week end visitor in the city.

GOLDEN WEDDING

By ELIZABETH R. GREENE.

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"Where are you going, mother?" Nancy looked up from her packing bag enough to note her mother's sun-bonneted head disappearing through the doorway.

Without answering, Mother Mitchell walked out into the September sunshine to join her husband. Her dazed mind could not comprehend how it had all come about, but two facts she understood with torturing clearness—Eben was going to John's and she was going to Nancy's; the old home was being broken up.

Eben spoke presently: "You'll be warm and comfortable there; Nancy's mother—thank God, I shan't have to worry over that. An' Nancy'll have the specialist for your eyes—she promised me that—"

The woman stirred restlessly. "I don't need no specialist!" she asserted stoutly. "An', father, what'll you do when you have them cramps in th' night? John won't understand 'em—"

He smiled at her bravely. "Now, what do you think I'd be takin' th' cramps along with me for?" he demanded humorously. "I'm leavin' 'em th' home, where they belong—"

It was an unlucky speech. She turned toward him with a stifled cry. "Where are you goin', too?" she sobbed, the floodgates of her pent-up sorrow flung wide. "They've no right t' separate us; it's wicked. Oh, Eben, let's not go—let's not!"

"There, there, mother," he soothed. "We can get along all right, Eben," she said eagerly. "Th' hens ain't gone yet, an' they're laying good. There's wood enough t' last quite a spell an'—"

"No, no, dear heart," he interrupted huskily. "I could never forgive myself if I let you suffer needlessly. I oughter had enough saved t' tide us along now," he reproached himself bitterly. "But somehow I never had th' knack o' keepin' much ahead—"

"It's because you've been so good t' everybody," she flashed, "that we ain't nothin' now!"

"When John wanted t' go t' college you sold the wood lot an' sent him, instead o' lettin' him work his way—"

"'Twould be hard on th' boy, Comfort," responded the old man gently.

She went on as if she had not heard, her toll-worn hands clasped in her lap. "After John got settled in business an' it looked 's if we might get a little help from him now an' then, he got married; an' that was th' end o' that."

"Yes; but 'tain't good for man t' live alone," quoted Eben smilingly, trying to draw her from the strange mood she was in.

"Then Nancy took sick," she continued wearily, "an' it took all our rainy day savin's t' pay for her operation—"

Trying to comfort her with hand and voice, he was too distressed to see that his daughter was speeding up the path toward the house, in back of the oak.

White and sobbing, Nancy reached the house. She had gone to the field to ask her mother if they hadn't better sell the clock with the rest of the things tomorrow. Approaching the oak unseen, beneath which her parents sat, she heard the conversation which saved her from many bitter regrets later.

An eager, broken talk through the telephone with John set the plan in motion; then Nancy, a chastened, awakened Nancy, went about many mysterious errands in the little village.

Returning home finally, her mother met her anxiously.

"What time 't'orrow you havin' th' auction, Nancy?"

"John won't be here till tomorrow night," answered her daughter lightly. "We'll settle everything Saturday."

Saturday! Their golden wedding day! In silent anguish mother left the room.

Never had the sunlight streamed so brightly into the old home as on that Saturday morning, never had Nancy sung so joyously, or John whistled so merrily. The gay sounds commingled with savory odors floated up the stairway to the room where Father and Mother Mitchell still lingered.

Then suddenly Nancy's voice called from the hall.

"Yes, we're comin', Nancy," answered her mother, tremulously.

Hand in hand the two old lovers went downstairs together, each vowing for the other's sake to be brave that day.

But what was this?

Father and Mother Mitchell stared bewilderingly at the table spread with snowy cloth, the blue willow-ware and a steaming breakfast, whose crowning glory was a bowl of 50 yellow roses.

"A happy golden wedding day," chorused John and Nancy, leading them to the table where two piles of fifty shining dollars dazzlingly reflected the sunlight in two blue plates.

"Children, what does this mean?" faltered Mother Mitchell.

"It means that there's a hundred more coming every month," said John, his hand on his father's shoulder. "Nan and I have decided we don't want the old home broken up; it means too mighty much to us," he declared his throat, "and if you'll stay, you'll find there's about everything you'll need for a while."

If they stay! The old couple looked at each other dazedly.

Nancy's tremulous voice broke the tension.

"There! I forgot those biscuits!"

The Present Status of Prohibition Enforcement in the United States

There have been certain well-defined weaknesses in the prohibition enforcement policy and the people have naturally been interested in knowing whether or not these weaknesses were recognized by the prohibition enforcement organization and what is being done to correct them.

Over nine-tenths of the territory of the United States prohibition is being enforced reasonably well, much better than many other laws, in fact. In western Pennsylvania, in certain parts of New Jersey, in New York City and in a few other localities resistance to the law has been more and more successful as the months have passed. Prohibition enforcement in these localities is very far from satisfactory. This is due to a natural reaction, to better acquaintance on the part of law-breakers with methods of law evasion, to a propaganda of lawlessness being carried on in some great newspapers and otherwise, to the failure of those state and municipalities to cooperate with the federal officials, and to the weaknesses in the policy of prohibition enforcement referred to above.

Much of the violation of the law is due directly to incitement on the part of those who have political motive in re-establishment of the beer saloon as a political agency.

Patent Medicines

Entirely too many proprietary or "patent" medicines have been consumed for beverage purposes during the past year. These medicines are, as a rule, a curse to the country any time, although such a statement, if unqualified, would be unfair to some of them.

When permits were issued for certain medicines, now proving objectionable, to be manufactured, it was believed that they were so highly medicated that no one would use them as a beverage. This, for instance, is true of a brand of Horke Vito, which has such a strongly laxative effect that its use has in many instances been attended with disgusting circumstances. Yet Horke Vito has been sold in enormous quantities for beverage use.

The prohibition enforcement bureau has just thoroughly revised its entire policy in regard to patent medicines and it is believed that any manufacturer who gets a permit hereafter will, in fact, be producing a medicine truly unfit for beverage use. Horke Vito is now without a permit, although stocks in the hands of retailers can be sold except under such circumstances as indicate to the seller that beverage use is intended. This is one loophole chinked.

Withdrawals Stopped
Large quantities of liquor have appeared on the market as the result of forging withdrawal permits. This is especially true in regard to New York. For several months the commissioner's office has been working on a system of safeguarding these permits. A special paper has been prepared and other methods will be put into operation March 1 which, it is believed will make forgery very difficult.

An opinion of the attorney general has also stopped the issuance of permits to wholesale dealers in liquors. In this ruling the attorney general supports what has been the contention of the prohibitionists from the first—that the law never provided for these permits. Wholesalers will be given an opportunity to dispose of their stocks on hand, but they can then withdraw no more. In order to allow them to dispose of their stocks, to permit them putting into effect of measures to prevent forgery of permits and to get a new grip on the situation, withdrawals of liquors from bonded warehouses and registered distilleries have been entirely stopped until further orders. Even as far back as last autumn withdrawals of liquor from bond were declining in amount. The November withdrawals were only half of those of October. Also very little is being manufactured. Only two distilleries were in operation during the last fiscal year and only one of these was of fair size. There are three in operation now.

The amendment itself does not prevent the importation of liquors for "medicinal purposes," etc., and the only way to handle this therefore, is to see that the consignees are not allowed to receive the liquor unless they are able to prove that it is for legitimate use. The consensus of opinion of medical men of standing undoubtedly is that liquor has very little medicinal value. Seventy-eight per cent of the doctors refuse to prescribe it, not even troubling to take out permits. The importation of liquor should be almost, if not entirely, stopped.

Much trouble has been caused by the misuse of alcohol withdrawn for manufacturing purposes and steps are being taken to safeguard this opening. Wherever the uses of the industry permit it is now being required that the alcohol be denatured before being delivered to the manufacturer. Extreme care during the coming year is to be used in scrutinizing the establishments and personality of those manufacturers desiring permits.

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HORSES FOR SALE

I will reach Stevens Point on Tuesday, March 1st, with one car load of good young horses, weighing from 1200 to 1500 pounds. Will be at the

Myers House Barn</

CHARIVARI CASE ON TRIAL MONDAY

WEDDING CELEBRATION AT COUNTRY HOME RESULTS IN THE ARREST OF SIX YOUNG MEN

USE OF TAR IS ALLEGED

COMPLAINING WITNESS AND HIS WIFE TELL STORY OF MERRY-MAKING

Trial of the case of the six young men, residents of the town of Amherst, and vicinity, who are charged with having assembled in a violent manner in violation of the state law, was in progress in county court Monday before Judge W. F. Owen and a jury of five men.

Aftermath of Wedding

The case, an aftermath of a wedding celebration at the Michael Glodowski farm in the town of Amherst, drew a crowd to the court house which overtaxed the capacity of the county judge's office. The six defendants are Henry and Eddie Glodowski, Peter Heerek, John Glesinski and Joseph and John Bluma, and it is alleged that they were participants in a charivari which followed a wedding in which a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glodowski was the bride.

Three-day Celebration

The wedding took place on February 1 and the offense is alleged to have occurred on February 2. Michael Glodowski is the complaining witness and he and his wife were both called upon to testify Monday. They related that the charivari continued on three successive evenings, the dates named being February 1, 2 and 3. Mr. Glodowski testified to having seen some of the defendants about his place, but his wife could not name any of the six. The couple related that a quantity of tar had been spread about in the course of the merry-making and that it had been tracked into the rooms of their home. They further told that from files had been used in creating a disturbance, being pounded against the side of the house to make a noise. The files were in court as evidence.

The complaint against the defendants sets forth that they "did assemble in a violent and tumultuous manner to do an unlawful act, and being together did make and attempt and motion toward doing an unlawful act in a violent, unlawful and tumultuous manner, to the terror and disturbance of others, contrary to the provisions of Section 4511 of the Wisconsin statutes."

Call Many Witnesses

The jury before which the case was tried was composed of Adam Kuhl, A. J. Cunneen, George Altoburg, Chester Webster and C. A. Hammecker.

FLAMES THREATEN CHURCH ON SUNDAY

QUICK RESPONSE BY FIREMEN SAVES TRINITY LUTHERAN STRUCTURE—TWO CHIMNEY FIRES

When passing engine house No. 2 on Strong's avenue a few minutes before 11 o'clock Sunday morning on the return trip from a call at the home of Mrs. Johanna Crueger, 612 Prairie street, the firemen on the motor truck from engine house No. 1 were notified of a fire at the Trinity Lutheran church at the intersection of Strong's avenue and Brawley street.

A hole several feet in length was burned in the roof of the church by a fire which started from sparks from a chimney. If the department had not been equipped with a motor truck the building would probably have burned to the ground, firemen say, as both companies answered the Prairie street call and if they had returned in a horse drawn truck, they would probably not have arrived in time to save the church. The fire was extinguished by the use of water which slightly damaged the walls and ceiling of the interior of the church. The damage is covered by insurance.

A chimney burning at was the cause of the call to the fire engine, and inspection showed that there was no danger and that the firemen were not needed.

A third call was sent from a local department at 10:40 Sunday afternoon, when a chimney at the Aunt in Jackway residence, 959 Main street, burned out. The building did not catch fire, however, as the firemen found several barrels of oil in the foot from the chimney, the firemen returned. The department was called a fourth call a few minutes later at another number in the 900 block of Main street, but the alarm was not heeded for the firemen had been called to attend to the first fire.

NOMINATION PAPERS

OUT FOR C. P. CARY
Nomination papers for the office of state superintendent of public instruction are being circulated in Stevens Point and are being generally signed.

CHARTER MEMBERS HONORED SUNDAY AT ANNIVERSARY

PROGRAM IS CARRIED OUT BY LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF LOCAL CHURCH AND IS FOLLOWED BY SUPPER

A silver spoon and a red carnation were presented to each of seven of the twelve charter members of the Ladies Aid society of the Evangelical Friends' church who were present at the observance of the 25th anniversary of the founding of the organization, held at the church parlors Sunday afternoon and evening.

A program of musical numbers and short talks was given and Mrs. William Marquardt, president of the society gave an address and a historical review of the progress the organization has made since its founding was read, showing that the membership has increased from 12 at the time of its founding to 39 at the present time.

Following the program a supper was served to members of the congregation at 5 o'clock, and the remainder of the evening spent informally. The seven charter members of the society were presented with a spoon and a carnation were Mrs. William Zimmer, Mrs. Christina Hoerter, Mrs. Chris. Keilling, Mrs. George Hetzer, Mrs. George Oertel and Mrs. William Rosenkranz, all of this city and Mrs. William Manthey of Appleton.

PRESIDENT SIMS ON EXTENDED TRIP

NORMAL SCHOOL HEAD WILL WITNESS INAUGURATION OF NEW PRESIDENT ON MARCH 4

President John F. Sims of the State Normal left Monday for Marshfield, where he spoke at a Rotary banquet at which the Marshfield Rotarians entertained their ladies. The organization and purpose of the Rotary club constituted his subject.

From Marshfield President Sims goes to Lansing, Mich., to attend the National Rural Life conference. He is scheduled for an address there on the subject "Larger Administration and Taxation Unit." In this talk he will advocate the organization of schools in a county under a county plan of government, proposing a central organization in a county to handle all of schools therein. This is known as the county unit plan.

Mr. Sims goes from Lansing to Washington, D. C., to attend a meeting of the National Council of Normal School Presidents on February 24 and 25. From there he will go to Atlantic City to attend a meeting of the National committee on Rural Education, of which he is chairman. The committee will work out a program to be presented at the National Education association convention to be held at Des Moines, Ia. in July. The committee will work out by July, 1923 a complete report on the status of rural education in the United States and other countries and suggest improvements in rural education in this country which, it is hoped will be enacted into law.

President Sims expects to see the inauguration of the new president, Warren G. Harding, at Washington, on March 4, stopping there on his return trip.

ORGANIZE COUNCIL AT SUNDAY MEETING

DR. F. A. SOUTHWICK ELECTED CHAIRMAN—OTHER OFFICERS NAMED AND CONSTITUTION ADOPTED

Members of the Community Council met at the library club rooms on Sunday afternoon and perfected an organization. A constitution was drafted after a thorough discussion and officers for the ensuing year elected as follows:

Chairman, Dr. F. A. Southwick, Vice-Chairman, Mrs. F. J. Bond, Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Leahy.

A committee of five is to be appointed by the chairman to consider the most necessary line of action to be taken and report at the next meeting which will be held on March 4. The committee will also consider the organization of committees necessary to carry out the work and report at the March meeting.

R.C. PORTER IS CANDIDATE

FRIENDS INDUCE ASSISTANT POSTMASTER TO SEEK ADVANCEMENT TO OFFICE OF POSTMASTER

LONG IN POSTAL SERVICE

HAS MADE IT HIS LIFE WORK AND BELIEVES HE DESERVES PROMOTION

Assistant Postmaster Robert C. Porter has announced his candidacy for postmaster in Stevens Point. His decision to seek the appointment was reached after many friends had induced him to seek the position, assuring him of their support if he would enter the race.

Started in 1896

Mr. Porter entered the service at the local office as a substitute clerk in July, 1896, receiving appointment from the late John Finch, Sr., then postmaster. He continued in this capacity until his enlistment in Company I, Fourth Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry in July, 1898, serving in the Spanish-American war and being honorably discharged in February, 1899. He is at present commander of the local camp of the United Spanish War Veterans.

Assistant Nine Years

Having been granted leave during his period of army service, Mr. Porter returned to Stevens Point as a substitute clerk, continuing in this capacity until June, 1899, when by vacancy in the regular clerical force he was advanced to the position of regular clerk. On May 12, 1912, he received appointment as assistant postmaster, succeeding Henry Curran, Jr. He has since held this position, nearly nine years in all.

Seeks Promotion

In seeking advancement in the service which he has made his life work, Mr. Porter believes that he has filled his present position satisfactorily both to the postal department and to the public, and feels that he is entitled to a promotion at this time. If appointed, he promises that the duties of the postmaster's office will receive his undivided attention and best efforts.

Mr. Porter's application for the position has been sent in to Washington.

STARTS YELLOW CAB LINE AT FOND DU LAC

FRANK SHAURETTE OF STEVENS POINT GOES TO THAT CITY TO OPERATE MODERN TAXI SERVICE

Frank Shaurette of this city, who until recently has been operating Shaurette's Rapid Transfer line here with his brother, Fred Shaurette, has gone to Fond du Lac, where he will conduct a yellow taxi service. The Fond du Lac Reporter of Wednesday contains the following:

"Fond du Lac has a 'yellow taxi' service. This city has stepped into the ranks of the live wire municipalities wherein the 'yellow cab' is one of the street features."

"Frank Shaurette, a former resident of this city, who has for the past six years been engaged in the transfer business at Stevens Point, arrived in the city this morning from Chicago driving the first 'yellow taxi' to be placed in operation here."

"The taxi is the same that is being used by the thousands in Chicago, being manufactured by the Yellow Taxicab company of that city."

Couple Is Reconciled

DIVORCE DECREE VACATED

A recent order of Judge B. F. Park in circuit court vacates the judgment of divorce granted in December to Barbara Zellmer against Ernest A. Zellmer. The couple, residents of Stevens Point, reconciled their differences and petitioned the court to set aside the judgment of divorce.

In the case of Kate Golla vs. Anton Golla a judgment of divorce was granted the plaintiff. The parties to the action are residents of Wood County.

PARKS SENDS ORANGES

BUT COURT HOUSE BUNCH DOES NOT GET QUITE WHAT IT EXPECTED

"I see by the Journal that the Plover concrete road is at last going through, and this is such good news to me that I have decided to show my appreciation by sending a crate of California oranges to the court house bunch," wrote Chairman D. H. Parks of the town of Plover, who is spending the winter at Covina, Calif., to County Clerk A. E. Bourn on January 26. For days thereafter the court house officials, deputies, visitors, customers and hangers-on awaited the shipment with delightful anticipations. Finally it came. The county clerk opened it and found a dozen oranges the size of marbles and about as hard. Indignation meetings were held daily. It appeared that the Plover chairman wouldn't dare come home.

A day or two ago the clerk was telephoned from the express office that another "crate" of oranges had come. "Don't send the darn thing here. We don't want it. Twice in the same place is too much," growled the "usually happy county clerk. But the express company insisted, and the second crate arrived—this time it was different. It contained a hundred luscious California oranges. And once more "Denny" Parks is in good standing at Portage county's capitol.

BAPTISTS ADVISED TO ERECT GYMNASIUM

MILWAUKEE PASTOR PROMISES TO TRY TO GET FINANCIAL HELP FOR PROPOSED BUILDING

Rev. D. W. Hulburt of Milwaukee occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday morning. His subject was "The Goal of a Church." Following the services a business meeting of the trustees and men of the congregation was held at which Dr. Hulburt was in attendance. He advised the erection of a gymnasium on the lot which the church owns, located just north of the building, and said he would try to get financial aid from the national Baptist association for the project.

MOVEMENT STARTED TO IMPROVE RESORT

NEW BRIDGE CONSTRUCTED AT LAKE EMILY AND ROADS TO BE MADE MORE PASSABLE

Lake Emily, near Amherst Junction, is to be made more attractive and more accessible as the result of a movement started by P. Bamberger of Amherst Junction, owner of a cottage on the lake. Mr. Bamberger has already collected a fund of more than \$100 from cottage owners, campers and business men of Amherst Junction, Amherst and Stevens Point, and hopes to raise a total of \$250.

Already a good start has been made toward carrying out the program of improvements. A handsome rustic foot-bridge, 79 feet long, has been constructed over the bay at the east end of the lake, replacing the rough, frail structure which had been in service for several years. The new bridge was built by cottage owners and Amherst Junction business men, twelve in number, who donated their time and did the job in one day. Oak trees were cut down and used in the building of the bridge. The floor, made of planks, is six feet from the water at the center. Rustic railings add to the appearance of the structure.

The winding road leading from the

gate, on highway 18, to the row of cottages on the north side of the lake and the road leading from highway 18 along the east end of the lake to the Green Bay & Western tracks will both be improved. Both of these roads have been in bad condition for a long time and their improvement will be greatly appreciated by all who have occasion to use them.

Lake Emily is just off highway 18, one of the most heavily traveled trunk lines in the state, and will undoubtedly attract an increasingly large number

of tourists as its advantages become better known. The county board, at its last session, voted to put up a sign inviting tourists to stop at the lake and make other provisions for their comfort and enjoyment.

People who are interested in the improvement of Lake Emily and wish to contribute toward the cost, are invited to send their subscriptions either to P. Bamberger or O. A. Nelson at Amherst Junction. Mr. Nelson is cashier of the Security State bank of that village.

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URGING PASSAGE OF THE
MATHESON BILL

ASK FOR ROAD MACHINES

BOUGHT BY GOVERNMENT AT A
LARGE COST, THEY ARE
GOING TO WASTE

The League of Women Voters, through the advisory committee appointed by the president, Mrs. E. J. Carley, has sent telegrams to Assemblymen Matheson and William Scribner, assuring them of the support of the league and urging the passage of the Matheson prohibition enforcement bill.

They also went on record as favoring the establishment of a children's bureau in Wisconsin, and against the repeal of the mandatory clause in the county nurse bill.

Want Machinery

Mrs. Walbridge was instructed to write to the Wisconsin senators and congressmen, giving the support of the league to the Shephard-Towner bill and the Reavis salvage bill in congress. The latter bill provides for the distribution of war material useful for road building, such as caterpillar tractors, steam shovels and scrapers, among the several states as requisitioned by them. Millions of dollars of the people's money is tied up in this material but by a clause in the contracts it was not to be used for any but war purposes. Consequently it is lying in dump heaps, rusting and fast becoming useless. Allowing it to be used by the states for building roads would save the people who paid for it many dollars which otherwise would have to be raised by taxation, the league believes.

VETS GET TOGETHER AT LEGION MEETING

MEMBERS OF POSTS FROM EVERY
PART OF WISCONSIN AT-
TEND CONFERENCE AT
MARSHFIELD

Members of American Legion posts in practically every county of Wisconsin were in attendance at the conference of American Legion post commanders and adjutants, department of Wisconsin, held at Marshfield Saturday and Sunday.

Federal Judge K. M. Landis of Chicago was the chief speaker of the two-day session. Judge Landis delivered an address Sunday morning at the Auditorium, where the chief features of the program were carried out. F. W. Galbraith, Jr., national commander of the Legion, was unable to speak, as scheduled.

The conference opened Saturday morning, called to order by Claudius G. Pendill of Neillsville, department commander. The morning and afternoon sessions on Saturday were devoted to symposiums on Legion activities. At 6 o'clock a banquet was served in the hall at Sacred Heart church, covers being laid for more than 300 Legion members. The banquet was the biggest ever held in Marshfield. A feature of the Saturday evening session was a wrestling match between Alex Kazan and Ted Witt, well known grapplers, with Fred Beel, former national heavyweight champion, as referee. Kazan put Witt's shoulders to the mat after 30 minutes of hard work.

Among those who spoke Sunday morning were Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant; Gerold Murphy, national service officer; and Philip B. Edwards, chairman of the department Americanization committee.

Stevens Point Legionnaires who attended the sessions Saturday afternoon and evening were Miss Mary Hanley, Miss Ruth Marlowe, F. B. Shemanski, Dr. W. R. Cashin, Dr. A. J. Looze, J. William Clifford and Guy W. Rogers.

LAWRENCE SPEAKER

WINS STATE CONTEST
Victor Werner, Lawrence college, won the annual contest of the Wisconsin Oratorical association at Ripon. His subject was "The International Mind." Other winners and their subjects were: Second, Gus Campbell, Beloit, "The Return of the Dayflower"; third, Ethel Williams, Ripon, "The Man from Scrooby's"; fourth, Alfred Gilman, Carroll, "Americanizing America."

ROAD SCHOOL AT WAUNAU

A county road school will be held at Waunau in April. Town road superintendents, patrolmen and foremen are to attend, and speakers will be present from other counties. Marshfield county will grade and surface 20 miles of road with gravel on state highways 10 and 16 the coming summer at a cost of \$250,000.

CALLAHAN TO RUN AGAINST C. P. CARY

WELL KNOWN WISCONSIN EDUCATOR ANNOUNCES HIS
CANDIDACY FOR STATE
SUPERINTENDENT

John Callahan, director of vocational education in Wisconsin, well known in local educational circles and for 30 years connected with the public schools of the state, will be a candidate against C. P. Cary at the April election for state superintendent of public instruction.

Superintendent Cary, who has been in his position for eighteen years, has previously been unopposed for reelection. Mr. Callahan has declared his intention of instituting a vigorous campaign which he says will overcome the political inertia which the superintendent position carries with it.

His candidacy will be based on a program of reorganization of Wisconsin educational system by doing away with the present dual administration. He proposed to stand for a constitutional amendment which will change the office of superintendent of public instruction from its present political character and make it appointive by a representative state board of education.

Mr. Callahan has come out as an advocate of the Skogmo plan for administration of the state school system. He proposes that administration of public schools should be carried out by a central board of education, which would appoint a secretary or commissioner. Inspection duties and formulation of the educational policies of the state would rest with this board, while the boards of university and normal regents would continue to serve.

The candidacy of Mr. Callahan starts the final stage of an educational battle in the state that will in the end be fought out on the floor of the legislature. There has been a growing feeling in the state that some sort of agreement or reorganization would have to be effected, or the schools would suffer.

The new candidate says that he does not feel that a return to administration by the superintendent of public instruction, as the office is now constituted, would work for the interest of education in Wisconsin. He is asking for a change which, in his opinion, will place the state as a leader, instead of its present rating as thirty-second among the states of the nation.

AMHERST MEETING IS WELL ATTENDED

NEARLY 50 TEACHERS ARE
PRESENT AT SATURDAY
CONFERENCE--PROGRAM
CARRIED OUT

Forty-five teachers, four school board members and several parents of pupils were present at the sectional meeting held at the High school building at Amherst Saturday. L. Skoglund and J. A. Berto, members of the school board of the Fountain Grove school Joint District No. 9, Amherst, gave talks on how they obtained new seats for their school. A demonstration and work in silent reading was conducted by Miss Gertrude Hanson, critic teacher at the State Normal school here, Miss Lillian Whitman, teacher of the primary department of the Amherst school gave a demonstration lesson in primary reading, and Mrs. E. T. Johnson, teacher of the Amherst seventh and eighth grades, gave a third demonstration lesson.

Miss Alice M. Gordon, county superintendent, gave a talk on seat work, which was followed by a round table discussion of the subject. Miss Lucille Bernard led community singing and taught rote songs. Other musical numbers and selections in language were given by the third and fourth grades of the Amherst school under the direction of Miss Hazel Cawley, the pupils of the Nelsonville graded school under the supervision of Miss Lenore Mjelde, principal and Miss Agnes Waller, primary teacher, and the pupils of the Amherst Junction graded school, under the direction of Miss Irene Morrow, principal, and Miss Blanche O'Connor, primary teacher.

This was the second of four sectional meetings for the teachers of the county. The next conference will be held at Almond next Saturday from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

ATTACKED BY WOLVES

ANIMALS FOLLOW FARMER WHO
BEATS THEN OFF WITH
HIS OVERCOAT

Henry Whitlock of Pleasant Hill arrived in the village of Vesper a few days ago with the story that he had been followed by two wolves which made several attacks upon him along a country road. He related that he beat off the animals with his overcoat. The story created considerable excitement in that vicinity, where wolves are reported to be numerous.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Ziblah Krake

Mrs. Ziblah Krake, one of Fond du Lac's oldest pioneer residents and the mother of Mrs. M. W. Rice of Stevens Point, died at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in that city. Mrs. Krake was born in 1842 in Lincolnshire, England and came to Wisconsin in 1851.

An account of the life of the deceased appears in the Fond du Lac Commonwealth as follows:

"The family first set foot on Wisconsin soil at Sheboygan, and then came to Fond du Lac by team stopping at the Badger hotel which was then situated at the corner of Western avenue and Main street. In 1860 Mrs. Krake was married to Frank Baker. He went to war and was fatally wounded in the battle of Perryville, Chaplin Hills. He died soon after receiving his injury. The news of his death was brought to his wife by the captain of the company who was wounded in the same battle and was able to leave his command while recuperating. Mrs. Baker was at that time residing with her mother, Mrs. Fox, who was then keeping the toll gate on the Milwaukee road. According to the family story the deceased husband on leaving for the front, requested that in event of his death his wife should re-marry. Six months after Mr. Baker's death, Mrs. Baker was united in marriage to W. H. Krake, who was engaged for many years in the dray business in this city and who died 12 years ago. The surviving children are W. H. Krake, Bancroft; Mrs. P. R. Hall, Portland, Ore.; Mrs. M. W. Rice, Stevens Point; Alvin, Edith, Everett and Mrs. John Allen of this city. There are two sisters, Mrs. Berry of Lodi; Mrs. Sim Rockfeller, also one brother, Charles Fox of Heller, Wis."

Death of Child

Robert Myron Friday, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Friday, 117½ North Second street, died at 10:15 o'clock Thursday morning at the family home. Death was caused by a complication of pneumonia and measles. Funeral services were conducted from St. Peter's Catholic church at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. Rev. S. A. Elbert officiating and burial taking place in Guardian Angels' cemetery. The deceased is survived by his parents and one brother, Jerome, six years old.

Matthew Grzywacz

Matthew Grzywacz, 70 years of age and a resident of the town of Sharon for 50 years, died on Wednesday at his home. Death was the result of old age. The deceased was a native of Poland and is survived by his widow and four children, Mrs. John Zimbar and Peter and Boniface Grzywacz, all of the town of Sharon, and Phillip Grzywacz of Galloway.

Funeral services were conducted from Sacred Heart church, Polonia, at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning. Rev. L. J. Pescinski officiating and burial following in the parish cemetery.

Matthew Grzywacz Funeral

Final obsequies for the late Matthew Grzywacz, a resident of the town of Sharon, who died Wednesday at his home were conducted Saturday at 9:30 o'clock from Sacred Heart church, Polonia. Rev. L. J. Pescinski officiated and burial took place in the parish cemetery.

Funeral of Child

The body of the late Robert Myron Friday, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Friday, 117½ North Second street, who died at the family home Thursday morning, was laid to rest in Guardian Angels' cemetery Saturday. Services were conducted from St. Peter's Catholic church at 8 o'clock. Rev. S. A. Elbert officiating. The pall bearers were Anton and Louis Wozalla, Philip Grabowski and Lawrence Ciecholinski, and Raymond Peck, Claude Kltowski, Lawrence Kollinski and Raymond Derezinski were flower bearers.

Richmond J. Amigh Funeral

The body of the late Richmond Jones Amigh, a resident of this city and Plainfield for 38 years, who died at the home of his son, William Amigh, 262 Wayne street, Friday morning following an extended illness, was laid to rest in the Plainfield cemetery Sunday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted from the Plainfield town hall at 1 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Johnson officiating. The pall bearers were Ed. Scaries, Ed. Rozell, A. S. Smith and John Weldon.

Richmond Jones Amigh

Richmond Jones Amigh, a resident of this city and Plainfield for 38 years, died at the home of his son, William Amigh, 262 Wayne street, at 9 o'clock Friday morning. He had been ill with stomach trouble for about two years and was confined to his bed for two weeks previous to his death. Funeral services were conducted at P in-field Sunday and burial took place in the Plainfield cemetery.

The deceased was born in Tingo county, Pennsylvania, April 29, 1842. He lived in Pennsylvania until he was 16 years of age, when he enlisted for service in the army during the Civil war. After the war he removed to Argus, Marshall county, Ind., where in 1874 he married Miss Sarah Ellen Lunsdown. The late Mr. Amigh with his

family removed to Plainfield 26 years ago, where he resided until last fall, when he and Mrs. Amigh came to this city to make their home with their son, William.

The deceased is survived by his widow; two daughters, Mrs. G. C. Tripp of Mitchellville, Ia., and Mrs. C. L. Marvin of Tacoma, Wash., three sons, Walter and Harley, both of Beloit, and William Amigh of this city; one sister, Mrs. Phoebe Updike of Bradford, Penn., and eight grandchildren.

George Paquin

George Paquin, a resident of this city for two years, died at his home, at the east end of Jefferson street at 8 a. m. Saturday following a two years' illness.

The deceased was born at Appleton, September 4, 1868. He was married at Ladysmith eight years ago, where the couple resided until they came here. The late Mr. Paquin is survived by his widow, four brothers, Theodore of Kaukauna, Sol of South Bend, Ind., and Fred and Louis Paquin, both of Neenah, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Horkman and Miss C. M. Paquin, both of Neenah.

The body was taken to Neenah Sunday afternoon and funeral services were conducted at 9 o'clock from a Catholic church there. Rev. George A. Clifford officiating and burial following in the parish cemetery.

Funeral of George Paquin

The body of the late George Paquin, a resident of this city for two years, who died at his home at the east end of Jefferson street Saturday morning following a long illness, was taken to Neenah on Soo Line train No. 2 Sunday afternoon. The body was accompanied by the widow of the deceased. Funeral services were conducted at a Catholic church at Neenah at 9 o'clock Monday morning. Rev. George A. Clifford officiating and burial following in the parish cemetery.

Mrs. Antoinette Bemowski

Mrs. Antoinette Bemowski, a resident of Portage county for 53 years, died at her home, 423 Sixth avenue, at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening following a week's illness with pneumonia. The deceased was born in Poland,

June 11, 1852. She came to this country with her parents when she was 15 years of age, the family settling on a farm in the town of Hull. In 1904 she removed to this city with her husband, where she had since resided. The late Mrs. Bemowski is survived by seven children, Mrs. Margaret Halmanski and Mrs. Rose Halmanski, both of Rhinelander; Mrs. Mary Matke, 925 Fifth avenue, city; Mrs. Katherine Derezynski, 423 Sixth avenue; Frank Bemowski, 928 Fourth avenue; Nicholas Bemowski, 514 Smith street, and Alexander Bemowski, who resides at the family home on Sixth avenue, and one sister, Mrs. Josie Jackson of Phillips.

Funeral services were conducted at 9 o'clock this morning from St. Peter's Catholic church. Rev. S. A. Elbert officiated and burial took place in the parish cemetery beside the late husband of the deceased who died four years ago.

MEETING AT RHINELANDER

Local Supervisor Speaker on Sectional Program

Miss Regina H. Somers, Portage county supervising teacher, returned on Monday from Rhinelander, where she attended a north central sectional convention of the Supervising Teachers' association on Saturday. Miss Somers appeared on the program, presenting a paper on "Play Day." Supervisors were present from Wisconsin Rapids, Wausau, Merrill, Rhinelander, Stevens Point and Antigo.

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RYE	4.13 for 98 lbs.	WHEAT MIDDINGS	1.20 per cwt.
GRAHAM	.46 for 10 lbs.	BRAN	1.20 per cwt.
WHOLE WHEAT	.47 for 10 lbs.	PURE BRAN	1.25 per cwt.
BUCKWHEAT	.55 for 10 lbs.	OIL MEAL	2.15 per cwt.
BOLTED CORN MEAL	.35 for 10 lbs.	GROUND SCREENINGS	1.00 per cwt.
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		OATS, BULK	.50 per bu.
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POTATO MARKET IS MORE ACTIVE

FARMERS NOW MORE WILLING TO SELL AT LOW PRICES, DIVISION OF MARKETS POINTS OUT

WOULD CHANGE CONDITIONS

CONFERENCE AT MADISON SHOWS NEED OF REGULATIONS FOR MARKETING

Madison, Wis.—The Division of Markets News Letter which will appear next week will say of the potato market: "There has been no decided change in the condition of the potato market in the state. Slight fluctuations have occurred, but the advances occurring at times have been held for only a few days. A noticeable change in the farmers' attitude has been noticed for they are much more willing to sell now than they have been for some time past. Inspectors report that haulings at some points are heavy and that with the slight increase in prices that occurred recently the farmers hauled heavily. Predictions are being freely made that the prices for the remainder of the season will range from 40 cents to \$1.00, with prices at most of the time ranging from 50 cents to 75 cents per cwt."

Marketing problems, the News Letter will say, claim now the attention of farmers almost to the exclusion of any other problems. The farmer has realized that unless he is able to sell his products at a good price the increase in production will be of no benefit to him. The importance of marketing problems has been emphasized during the get-together marketing conference which took place in Madison recently. This conference was attended by many farmers from different parts of the state and papers were read by a number of farm leaders and authorities on agricultural questions. The lack of warehouse and storage facilities was shown to be a very important cause of unprofitable marketing. Crops should be marketed gradually and not thrown on the market within a relatively short time. The sudden unloading of crops on the market gives an opportunity for manipulations and harts the ideal condition which farmers want, namely, an even marketing based on the actual demand. In years of plenty a surplus may be produced. This surplus, if not sold, is dissipated or wasted, but should be conserved. If it is unloaded upon the market falling prices result, which affects the following year's production, which is detrimental to all. Flooding of the market also often enhances the power of the speculators and especially when they control the storage and distribution of food products, with the result that the consumer derives no benefit.

Remedies Suggested
The remedies which were suggested at the conference to remedy the economic situation of the farmer can be summed up in the following five points: (1) The elimination of unnecessary factors in distribution. (2) The organization of cooperative sales agencies. (3) The standardization of farm products into grades and classes. (4) Storing enough farm products to even up the flow according to demand. (5) Devising of a credit machinery that will enable the farmer to market his goods.

ALMOND NOTES

Miss Irene Backey visited friends at Berlin Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Sanders and son, Donald, of Wapaca, visited in the George Bassler home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Prochnow, who have spent the past several months in Stevens Point, have returned to make this village their home. They will be employed by the B. J. Walker drug store.

Minot Hill of Bristol, Pa., spent a few days in the village the past week assisting in settling the J. Bowden estate.

Van Johnson is home from Spring Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Karnopp and daughter of Milwaukee spent a few days among relatives here the past week. They were called here to attend the funeral of W. J. Pizley, an uncle of Mrs. Karnopp.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krohn announce the arrival of a baby boy at their home on February 5.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eaton of Stevens Point visited among old friends here the past week.

Miss Mary Jennings of Wautoma was the guest of Margaret Shaffer Saturday.

Mrs. Peter Dorsha of Stevens Point is visiting her daughter Mrs. Henry Branhstedt.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roseberry of Plainfield spent the past week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Morgan.

POST OFFICE JOB AT JUNCTION CITY SOUGHT BY SEVERAL

UNCLE SAM TO HEAR FROM GROUP OF CANDIDATES WHO SEEK FEDERAL APPOINTMENT IN COUNTY VILLAGE

Stevens Point is not the only place in Portage county where a scramble for the position of postmaster is promised, as word comes from Junction City that a warm fight is the prospect there. Among those already prominently mentioned, and all of whom are said to be active candidates, are A. L. Voyer, the hotel man, Rev. F. Ulmer, pastor of the Lutheran congregation, and George Stertz, Jr., barber.

Each is ready to give evidence of party loyalty and present other valid reasons why the coveted position should go to him. The Junction office was raised to the presidential class on January 1 and the postmaster's salary made \$1,400 per year, with \$600 added for clerk hire. N. M. Lepinski is the present incumbent.

THREE CONFERENCES ARE BEING PLANNED

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT SPARTA MAY BE ATTENDED BY SEVERAL LOCAL PEOPLE

Three big sectional Sunday school conventions, which will be of vital interest to everyone active in Sunday school work, are being planned by the Wisconsin Sunday school association, J. L. Rogers of Oshkosh, state superintendent, announces.

The three conventions are to be held between February 25 and March 5. The first will be for the 22 northern counties and will be held at Rhinelanders February 25 to 27. The second will be at Sparta between March 1 and 3 and will be for the 25 western counties. The third will be at Racine March 3 to 5, for the 24 southern and eastern counties.

Stevens Point is in the Sparta district and it is probable that a number of local Sunday school workers will be in attendance. Rev. G. M. Calhoun, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church here, has been invited to appear as a speaker at Sparta, but has declined owing to local church engagements on those dates.

Dr. William E. Chalmers of Philadelphia and Miss Minnie E. Kennedy of Nashville, Tenn., will be speakers at all three conventions. In addition Preston G. Orving of the International Sunday school association, C. E. Franz of Eau Claire and Dr. T. D. Williams of Appleton and F. W. Heberlein of Ashland will address the Rhinelanders meetings. John L. Alexander of the International association, Dr. H. C. Swearington of the House of Hope church at St. Paul, Walter Hutton, general secretary of the Iowa Sunday school association and Dr. W. F. Tomlinson of Eau Claire will be the additional speakers at the Sparta meeting, while those at Racine will be John Alexander, Dean Peter C. Lutkin of Northwestern University school of music, Dr. Swearington and Walter Hutton.

The entertaining cities are making elaborate preparations for the conventions, which are expected to enroll more delegates than any previous gatherings of the same nature.

GIVES HUNDRED TO BOY SCOUTS

C. A. BARCOCK SENDS CHECK AND GIVES INDORSEMENT TO MOVEMENT FOR THE BOYS

C. A. Barcock, principal owner of the Wisconsin River Paper and Pulp company, has sent the Journal a check for \$100 with request that it be turned over to the Boy Scouts organization.

In sending in his subscription Mr. Barcock writes:

"The undertaking is certainly a most commendable one and I am pleased to inclose herewith check for \$100."

Petition of Raleigh C. Ives for Pardon to be Heard at Wausau in March

Raleigh C. Ives, convicted of slaying Herbert P. Leahr at Fond du Lac, may regain his freedom from the state penitentiary.

The petition of Ives for a pardon was heard by the state board of control last November but action was deferred at that time until the next meeting of the board for the hearing on pardon petitions.

This meeting will be held in Wausau early in March and the Ives petition will be the first to come up for consideration. It is the belief of the authorities that Ives will be released.

Ives has until May to serve on his two year sentence for manslaughter, that being the charge he was convicted and sentenced upon.

LOCAL FAIR HEADS CENTRAL CIRCUIT

WAUSAU TO FOLLOW STEVENS POINT AND DURAND IS THE LAST TO BE HELD—PLANS ARE MADE

Stevens Point again heads the Central Wisconsin Fair circuit, August 16, 17, 18 and 19 having been confirmed as dates for the local attraction at a meeting of circuit members held at Marshfield on Friday evening. The complete schedule of dates for fairs in the circuit follows:

Stevens Point—August 16, 17, 18 and 19
Wausau—August 23, 24, 25 and 26
Merrill—August 30 and 31, September 1 and 2
Marshfield—September 6, 7, 8 and 9
Chippewa Falls—September 13, 14, 15 and 16
La Crosse—September 20, 21, 22 and 23
Durand—September 27, 28, 29 and 30

Five cities, Stevens Point, Wausau, Marshfield, Merrill and Chippewa Falls, were represented at the meeting on Friday. A. E. Bourn, secretary of the Stevens Point fair association, was this city's representative. The matter of purses and classes for races at each of the cities is to be taken up by the individual management and a meeting of the local speed committee is to be called at once. Other plans for the 1921 fair in Stevens Point will be made following the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Stevens Point Fair association, which is to be held early in March.

As the first fair of the circuit will be held here, this will mean that many horses will again be brought to Stevens Point for training on the local track preparatory to participating in the Stevens Point fair before going out to other cities. This will insure another large number of entries this year.

SALES PAVILIONS COMING TO FRONT

CITIES OF STATE AWAKENING TO NEED OF PROPER FACILITIES FOR PROMOTING DAIRY FEATURES

That leaders who are promoting better livestock throughout the state are concerning themselves with sales pavilions is indicated by action taken toward the construction of such buildings in a number of cities, including Stevens Point. The following from the Appleton Post-Crescent should be of interest locally:

"As Outagamie county steps into the limelight for its pured livestock, breeders are finding that some of the most essential facilities for promoting this farming and dairying feature are missing. The outstanding need at this time, in the belief of members of the breed associations, is a sales pavilion.

"Proposals for such a building have been talked over among leading farmers and the outcome of the general feeling is expected to be an organized movement to erect such a structure. The logical location would be Appleton, these men believe, because it has the needed transportation facilities, is a city of good size, has proper hotel accommodations, good railroad connections to smaller towns and a high degree of dairy development in its immediate vicinity.

"It is believed that the county could make a name for itself by the kind of building it would erect at Appleton. A county wide organization of which this might be made a part would make it possible to plan a structure that would embody the most modern sales and seating facilities.

"Winter stock sales would be one of its unusual features. Waukesha Holstein breeders have proved that a sales pavilion built can pay for itself. The educational value of the sales and the advertising given Waukesha county Holstein cattle was also considered important. Several sales probably would have been held here if the right kind of building had been available."

Wausau and Wapaca are among other cities planning the construction of sales pavilions.

LOCAL WOMEN ACTIVE ON NURSING ISSUE

Wisconsin Rapids women who have prepared protests which will be sent to their senator and assemblyman and the chairman of committee on public affairs at Madison, asking them to help keep the mandatory clause in the county nursing law, are not the only ones in this part of the state to take this action.

Similar protests have been sent to Senator H. J. Severson and Assemblyman William Scribner and to the committee chairman by Mrs. D. J. Leahy, woman representative on the County Council of Defense, and it is pointed out that Portage county women are not being outdone by the neighboring county. Mrs. Leahy also appeared before the county board of supervisors two years ago, speaking in favor of a county nurse for Portage county. She was later named as a member of the county nurses' committee appointed by Chairman G. L. Park.

CONDEMN HIGH PRICED STOCK FOODS

PROMINENT HOG RAISER SAYS PRICES CHARGED ARE UNWARRANTED—MAKES HIS OWN HOG FOOD, WITH BETTER RESULTS

"That he is all through paying fancy prices for stock foods and hog remedies and that he is raising some of the best hogs ever placed on the market" was the statement made recently by E. H. Beckstead, well-known hog raiser and authority on live stock.

Mr. Beckstead's hogs are the envy of his neighbors and have "topped the market" for several years in Iowa. He states that for years he bought high-priced hog foods and hog remedies, but he is all through paying extravagant prices for what he can make himself. He states that what the hogs need are minerals, and tells the secret of his wonderful success by explaining that he takes about five pounds of ordinary mineraline (which is pure concentrated minerals and cost only a couple of dollars) and mixes same with enough bran or filler to make a hundred pounds. All hogs and especially brood sows require minerals as they keep them free from worms, and in the pink of condition, and are essential to the hogs growth and a well balanced ration. This inexpensive mixture placed in a sheltered box where the hogs can get at it as they need it, will produce far better results than any high priced so-called stock foods.

Send two dollars to The Mineraline Chemical Co., 1638 North Wells St., Chicago, Ill., and they will forward you by prepaid parcel post, enough mineraline to make a full hundred pounds. (Adv.) G-4w

POTATO SPECIALIST WILL GIVE ADDRESS

AT ALMOND MEETING
J. W. Brann, potato specialist of the University of Wisconsin, and W. W. Clark, county agricultural agent, will be the speakers at a meeting of potato growers to be held Wednesday, March 2, at Almond. Mr. Brann will explain modern methods of potato cultivation and Mr. Clark will give a report of the committee meeting and potato marketing conference held recently at Madison, which he attended. He will explain the new system of grading potatoes as proposed at the meeting and two plans for marketing which were brought up at the conference.

BEAT MILLADORE TEAM

A basketball team representing St. John's Court of Foresters of this city took a team from Milladore into camp at Lasecki's hall here Friday evening the final score being 18 to 8. The local lineup included John Nolan, center, Frank and John Koss, forwards, and L. Frymark and L. Worsalla, guards. The Milladore players were Becker, center, Cotwell and Hanson, forwards, and Becker and Pumper guards.

SMITH DRY LAW OFFICER ROSA TAX COMMISSIONER

W. Stanley Smith, Ashland attorney, has been confirmed by the senate as state prohibition commissioner, succeeding A. T. Hazelburg, who was displaced by Governor Blaine. Mr. Smith who was a machine gun officer during the war and served overseas, has a limited acquaintance in Stevens Point. The senate has also confirmed the appointment of Charles D. Rosa of Beloit as tax commissioner.

TO IMPORT PURE-BREDS

From 25 to 50 pure-bred Guernsey Leifers from three to six months of age will be imported from the Isle of Guernsey for foundation stock in Wood county. Boys' and girls' calf clubs are being organized and the pure bred leifers will become the property of the club members.

First Pub.—Feb. 16 '21—3Wkly.
COUNTY COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN—IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the will of Nicholas Elden, Deceased.

Notice is Hereby Given, that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Stevens Point in said county on the 2nd Tuesday (being the 15th day) of March, A. D. 1921, at the opening of court on that day the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of C. Breitenstein, executor of the will of Nicholas Elden, deceased, late of Stockton in said county, for the examination and allowance of his final account, and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are by law entitled thereto; and for the determination and adjudication of the inheritance tax, if any, payable in said estate.

Dated February 15, A. D. 1921.
By the Court:
F. A. NEUBERGER,
Register in Probate.

First Pub.—Jan. 25 '21—7 Wks.
Notice of Sale on Foreclosure
STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY.

E. B. Robertson, Successor Trustee, Plaintiff — vs — Polish

Brewing Company (now the National Brewing Company) T. L. N. Port, S. H. Worsalla, John J. Bakot and Barney Holbein, assignees in Bankruptcy of the National Brewing Company, Franziska Kufal, Helena Brunkl, Johanna School, Martha Cumberland, Martha Basmach and John Mrazewicz, an infant, by John Hahn, his guardian and litens, intervening defendants, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale in the above entitled action made and rendered on the 3rd day of July, 1920, and entered of record on said day; said judgment now being in force and the property affected thereby by unredemption therefrom, and the parties hereto by stipulation having waived the one year for redemption as provided by Statute, and the Court having this day ordered me to proceed with such sale, I shall, on the 10th day of March A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Stevens Point, County of Portage and State of Wisconsin, offer for sale and sell at public auction and vendue to the highest and best bidder therefor the following described real estate situated in Portage County, Wisconsin, to-wit: Lots numbered two hundred fifty-four (254), two hundred fifty-five (255), two hundred fifty-six (256), two hundred and seventy-five (275), in Block number fifty-six (56), of Strong, Ellis & Others Addition to the City of Stevens Point, County of Portage and State of Wisconsin, together with all the buildings and fixtures now on said premises, or which may hereafter be erected thereon, together with all machinery, supplies and material now on said premises or which shall hereafter be placed thereon or used in the brewing plant and in the brewing business of the said corporation.

Terms of sale cash on delivery of the deed.
Dated at Stevens Point, Wisconsin.
JOHN A. BERRY, Sheriff of Portage County, Wisconsin.
W. E. Atwell, Plaintiff's Attorney.

First Pub. Jan. 28 '21—6 Wkly.
STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY.
John B. McNeill, Plaintiff—vs—George J. Esslinger, Hyacinth Esslinger and H. J. Thillia, Defendants.

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the said defendants and each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the complaint, which is now in file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Portage County, Wisconsin.

W. E. ATWELL, Plaintiff's Attorney.
P. O. Address: Stevens Point, Portage County, Wis.

The above entitled action is brought to foreclose a certain mortgage dated March 4, 1920 and recorded March 8th, 1920, in 48 of Mortgages on pages 136-7, and affects title to Government Lots two (2), three (3), four (4), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) in Section three (3) in Township twenty-one (21) Range eight (8) East; also Government lots one (1), two (2), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) in Section four (4) township twenty-one (21) North of range eight (8) East, in Portage County, Wisconsin.

First Pub.—Jan. 12, '21—7G.
STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY.

Carrie T. Cabbage as executrix of the will of Roy E. Cabbage, deceased, Plaintiff vs. L. D. Tosh, Mrs. Jesse A. Craik, his wife, and Minnie C. Tosh, Jesse A. Craik, John H. Roudeshush, John Smith and Magie Smith, his wife, Defendants.

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the said Defendants, and each of them: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the Court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

FISHER & CASHIN, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
Post Office Address: Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

First Pub.—Jan. 12 '21—7G.
STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR PORTAGE COUNTY.

Mary L. Jensen, Plaintiff, vs. John Paulson and ——— Paulson, his wife, and their unknown heirs, assignees and representatives, and Mary Anna Hoppe, and all persons whom it may concern, Defendants.

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the said defendants and each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you, according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

D. E. FROST, Plaintiff's Attorney.
P. O. Address: Frost Block, Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

The above entitled action is to quiet title in the plaintiff of the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lots Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve, in Block No. Nine, of Paye and Spaulding's Addition to the town, now city, of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, all in Portage County, Wisconsin. The summons and complaint are on file in the office of the clerk of the above named court.

D. E. FROST, Plaintiff's Attorney.

First Publication Jan. 20 '21—0 Wkly.
STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY.
The Village of Plover, Portage County, Wisconsin, Plaintiff, vs. Jacob Worsalla, Defendant.

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, To the said defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the complaint, which is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Portage County, Wisconsin.

W. E. ATWELL, Plaintiff's Attorney.
P. O. Address: Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

First Pub.—Jan. 12 '21—7G.
STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY.

Roy E. Cabbage, Plaintiff, vs. L. D. Tosh, Minnie C. Tosh, Jesse A. Craik, Mrs. Jesse A. Craik, his wife, and John H. Roudeshush, John Smith and Magie Smith, his wife, Defendants.

To L. D. Tosh, Minnie C. Tosh, Jesse A. Craik, Mrs. Jesse A. Craik, his wife, John H. Roudeshush, John Smith and Magie Smith, his wife, the defendants above named:

TAKE NOTICE, that a supplemental complaint in the above entitled action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Portage County, Wisconsin, on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1920. That the above named plaintiff, Roy E. Cabbage, died testate at the County of Polk in the State of Iowa on September 10th, A. D. 1920, and that unless you show cause, if any you have, by answer or affidavit within twenty (20) days after service of this notice upon you, exclusive of the day of service, why the above entitled action should not be revived or continued, the same will stand revived or continued according to said supplemental complaint.

Dated December 30th, 1920.
FISHER & CASHIN, Attorneys for the Plaintiff.
Post Office Address: Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

First Pub. Feb. 16, 21-7 W-G.
STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT PORTAGE COUNTY.
Jacob Haug and Mary Haug, his wife, Plaintiffs,

vs.
William O. Carr, Robert B. Cahill and Margaret Cahill, his wife, and William B. Austin, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, rendered in favor of the plaintiffs and against the defendants in the above entitled action, on the 19th day of January, 1920, and docketed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Portage County, Wisconsin, on said day, I, the undersigned, Sheriff of Portage County, Wisconsin, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the West front door of the Court House, in the City of Stevens Point, in said County and State, on the 4th day of April, 1921, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendants in the following described premises, or as much thereof as may be sufficient to raise the amount due the plaintiff for principal, interest and costs, including the costs of sale, to-wit:

The North One-Half (N½) of the South East Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-Two (22) and East One-Half (E½) of the North East Quarter (NE¼) of the South West Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty Two (22) all in Township Twenty Three (23) Range Seven (7). Also land in Section Twenty Three (23), bounded by line beginning at the West Quarter Section corner of said Section Twenty Three (23) running thence East 14.50 chains to the center of Mill Creek, thence along center of Mill Creek to the center line of highway now located to a point one rod East of the store building situated on Lot 4 in Section Twenty Three (23) thence South 29 degrees, East 4.24 chains to the post 82, links West of the Southwest corner of the large

barn foundation (burned) thence south 70 degrees west to the Section line and from thence North on the section line to place of beginning and containing by calculation 22 acres more or less in the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty Three (23) and Two and one-half (2½) acres more or less in Lot Four (4) in said Section Twenty Three (23), Town Twenty Three (23) Range Seven (7) East.

Dated at Stevens Point, Wisconsin, this 16th day of February, 1921.

JOHN A. BERRY, Sheriff for Portage Co., Wis.
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